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LETTER FROM MONTEREY.

The Ancient Capital—Its Location and Business Prospects—The Bay and Harbor—Life about Town—Lighthouse—Fort—Going to Mass—The Confessional—Salinas Plains—Pacific Railroad—Dogs and Donkeys—The Rancheros—Settlers and Miners—A little bit of Humbug—Catch old Birds with chaff if etc.

MONTEREY, May 20, 1854.

Monterey, latterly, has become almost a *terra incognita* to the speculator and traveller. As unlike as possible her proud rival, San Francisco, she seems now to be on the wane, having enjoyed her day of glory when she was the capital of a remote province, and was the emporium of hides, tallow and horns; though I suspect that even then, her glory was rather in a *horn* than otherwise. However the sceptre of her greatness has passed into other hands: yet it is only for a time. Situated upon an indentation in the Southern side of the magnificent bay whose name she bears,—affording an anchorage well sheltered from the prevailing winds, in the vicinity of the rich alluvial lands of the Carmel and Salinas Plains, Monterey only needs time to become a commercial depot of no small importance.

The Bay, embracing in its ample sweep a larger area than some of our counties, at some remote time, (say when Abraham wore little breeches buttoned up behind,) extended far inland, and perhaps washed the base of the Sierras. This vast estuary being filled in by the debritus borne down from the mountains on either side, became gradually as we now see it, dry land—a level plain—drained by a single meandering stream, which we, whose life and history are of to-day, call Salinas—Salt river—from the Salt pools near its mouth. Whether this be true or not, of which I make no doubt, the fact is evident that the former site of this bay,—I still contend for the great scientific truth I have established,—now constitutes some of the most fertile land in the State. Vegetables of all kinds common to temperate climates, flourish to an astonishing degree. Higher up on the table lands and first slopes of the mountains, small grain may be grown in abundance.

In and around town dullness seems to be the presiding genius. Excepting now and then a coasting craft bound up or down, or one of the mail steamers touching for wood, nothing breaks the quiet monotony of the place. A dense fog sweeps in nightly from the ocean, and remains late in the morning till dissipated and driven inland by the ever recurring sea breeze. Donkeys and dogs form a goodly portion of the population of this retired and secluded city. The former meditative, philosophising, anon soliloquising as befits the calm tranquility of the peace, and amorous witnal, like that celebrated donkey of Fourth of July memory at old Horse Shoe Bend. A donkey that was made drunk by some unprincipled procedure, and revenged himself by stalking up before the stand of the Speaker—himself a little tight—and, in the midst of some glowing oratory, uttering a prolonged and most infamous *bray*, that made the welkin ring and set one's teeth on edge. The orator, you know, had sense enough to acknowledge the *corn*, as Pike would say, and respectfully paused "an awful pause," while his rival in eloquence finished *his* remarks and received the benefit of a "three times three" from his patriotic fellow-citizens.

I know not whether the regular California dog is described in any book of the naturalists, but certainly a more abandoned, degenerate, despicable, depraved tribe never disgraced the genus dogdom. So lean and pinched, one continually wonders what mysterious vital principle can animate such miserable anatomies. Totally unlike that harmless little cur whose tail curled so tight as to keep his posteriors suspended in the air, the animals in question have caudal extremities like an old fashioned pump handle, which with their vile heads, always point in the most direct line to the ground. Red, white, yellow, and parti-colored; thievish, cowardly, greedy, treacherous devils, these semi-domesticated *coyotes* bask in the sun or roam at large by day, and make night hideous with their infernal music. I propose, for one, a strong memorial to our representative wisdom, when next convened, urging the passage of a law whereby every dog of this degenerate breed be slain, chopped into mince meat, stuffed into his own entrails, and shipped off to regale the Celestials in their praise worthy attempts to extend the area of freedom.—Myriads of Pigtails would be rejoiced, the country rid of an immense nuisance, and a handsome revenue accrue to the State. Would'nt a benevolent object of this kind be as worthy of consideration as muddy arguments from the Hon. Gen. Fuddle about relieving, (of a collapsed purse,) Capt. Pompey Coddle for his immense and patriotic services and sacrifices in capturing and beheading the notorious Joaquin?

The Stars and Stripes flying from an eminence above town, indicate a Government Station, though at present nearly all appertaining to the station are rather of a stationary character—the whole concern being barely garrisoned by two men. In company with a friend, we were most kindly received by the officer in command, Capt. Baldwin, under whose guidance we "did," as a Cockney would say, the wonders of the little Gibralter. Shells, round shot of all kinds, from the size of little dumplings. or "pieces of chalk," up to that of a boy's head, or a cabbage head, or a good sized Dutch cheese, adorned the place. Bullets, slugs, buckshot—just the things to shoot geese—ugly looking things to poke a *feller's* eyes out, they call by some scientific nonsense, and all *sich truck* to be used probably, when some old fogy has the temerity to kick Brother Jonathan's shins, or takes a fancy to tweak his young turn-up nose.

The contract for building the light house on Point Pinos is completed, and the building, a substantial granite one, ready to receive its lights, those powerful prismatic ones of Fresnel; an invention that lays every mariner under a debt of gratitude to science. Ere long this Pharos, rivaling that of the olden time, will dart its friendly beams out over "the broad tranquil sea" to guide and to save. From Point Pinos—the point of pines—the view over the waste of waters is as a glimpse from the promontory of time into eternity—dim, grand, illimitably vast, melancholy and sublime. The long swell of the open sea now fading upon the yellow sand with a gentle murmer light as the step of Undine, and now plunging with a crash and a roar mid foam and spray, impress the beholder with a sense of the wild beauty and terrific power of "the brave old ocean."

As an important item in the architectural beauties here, I may mention an old dilapidated church, time-worn, and like the religion of which it is the shrine, in rottenness and decay. Thither, in company with a *companero*, he being of an enquiring turn of mind, I had the curiosity to go and hear mass, and see anything that might turn up. Though raining like a shower bath, the service was well attended by old, middling aged, and young; men, children, senoras, senoritas; standing, sitting, squatting. Beautiful girls were kneeling at the confessional and whispering their youthful follies into the itching ear of a withered old rat of a *Padre*, who, one fancied was bent on pumping the matter—a little innocent intrigue perhaps—*dry*, and running the thing out of all decency *into the ground*. Of course, one wanted to jump up and beat the old fellow about the head, and kick him out of his beads and slippers; but that would not be quite civil, and so we let him alone. Somebody, Mrs. Stowe, perhaps, has compared a priest in a confession box, to an old big bellied spider in his cobweb den, glaring out after his innocent victims.—The comparison is good, nay, 'tis a classic one, and if you don't believe it—why, you need'nt.

The people here, in common with every other place in California, indulge golden visions about the great Pacific Railway; believing that Monterey presents the most advantages for its western terminus.—The great valley of the Salinas, extending far back toward the Tejon and Walker's passes, affords undoubtedly some inducements for bringing the road in this vicinity.

It is amusing to witness the curiosity of the Bancheros, when told of the steam horse that travels at the rate of a thousand miles in a day. Having lived, until recently, remote from the great busy world, these simple people seem to belong to some by-gone age; but if they have, by their isolation, gained nothing in intelligence and liberal ideas, they have also lost nothing in escaping the fashionable vices of the imperious stranger who has come among them. They are hospitable, unsophisticated, kind and obliging, when these qualities have not been abused. But strange to tell, they are men like other men, and when pressed show their resentment like other people of uncultivated habits in petty spite and mulish tricks. They have a horror of squatters, and naturally enough when they see the depredations committed upon their herds. They believe most Americans to be liars and libertines, and well they may, witnessing the bad faith and license of men disgracing that name.

The up-country papers, as usual, tantalise the settler mourning over his almost valueless crops, with wonderful stories of "rich licks," "big strikes," and "chunks" and "pound lumps," "taken out" of "Skunk Canon," "Devil's Elbow," "Cat-gut Hollow," "Jackass Gulch," and such other classic places. The only evil of these farciful accounts is that they *will* get to the "old folks at home," and draw off companies of young green-horns to waste their best days in that grave of so many hopes and cherished plans—the California Placers. But to the old miner, these fictions indeed partake of the character of another Arabian Nights Entertainment; being light, pleasant reading, easy of digestion, and giving a lively play to the imagination. They may properly be classed as a species of romance, since the most sober truth may be related in such a manner as to contain all the essential elements of falsehood. For example, we take up a paper—a religious one by the way—and read that Mr. Muggins & Co., in running a tunnel under the store of Mr. Noggins, at Misery Flat, "took out" from 10 to 20 ounces per day. All this is very well, very true, and exceedingly well told, since it humorously omits to mention a little fact which every one knew at the time, viz—that Mr. Muggins & Co. practised what is technically called the "salting system," that is, they undertook the altogether unnecessary trouble of washing out the same gold over and over again.—We happen to read again, that the claim of Messrs. Squod and three others yields on an average six ounces per day. But a friend directly from the neighborhood of Squod & Co., communicates the fact that the aforesaid Squod & Co., number not merely four men, but about forty, more or less; and that they have spent six months and all their credit, in finding what they have, a really good "claim." The writer of this and similar entertaining sketches most certainly means to present a fair statement, and no doubt thought he did so, or he might indeed have been troubled with the same infirmity as Pat when counting his fishing party. "And mesilf was one," says he, "and the two Croghans was two, and Jim Flanneghan was three—ah, *begorra* there was four of us." So Paddy, begins again "And Jim Flanneghan was one, and the two Croghans was two, and mesilf was thr——, but the Divil take it, there *was four of us sure*. And mesilf," counting on his fingers, "was one, and the Croghans was two, and Jim Flanneghan was—*thray*—by me sowl, I believe there was only thray of us afther all.

To one who has experienced something of a miner's life, "mining news" is a sort of standing joke—an *ignis fatuus*, as useless to meddle with as to beat the air; we sometimes love to think of those old times of pork and beans, and slapjacks and ragged breeches, and rough toil. Those solitary encampments in the dewless nights beneath the stars; those explorations into untrodden ravines, where the wild flower kissed the cold sparkling stream, the excitement of the chase, the wild mountain scenery, the foaming torrent, the wide sweeping oak opening; those forests of gigantic cedar and pine where twilight ever reigns; the glittering snow in the sultry midsummer on the far mountain, and the silvan stream that seemed poured from its base. Laborious indeed was the life of the miner then, but relieved here and there by patches of bright sunshine and the true poetry of nature.

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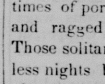
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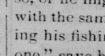
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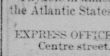
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Legal Notices.

Notice.

JOHN O. BEAN having withd rawn from the firm of Bean, Barbour & Stanly, the same is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All persons owing the late firm of Bean, Barbour & Stanly are hereby required to make payment of the same to Messrs. Barbour & Stanly who alone are authorized to receive and receipt for the same. May 22, 1854.

JOHN O. BEAN,
JOHN M. BARBOUR,
SAMUEL K. STANLY.

—ALSO—

JOHN M. BARBOUR having this day assigned his interest in the late firm of Bean & Barbour, the same is this day dissolved by mutual consent. John O. Bean is alone authorized to settle the affairs of said firm. May 22, 1854. JOHN O. BEAN.

my26-3t JOHN M. BARBOUR.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, held in and for the county of San Francisco in the State of California, I will offer for sale on Saturday the 10th day of June, A. D. 1854, in the village of Mariposa, in front of the Court House door, the following property: All of the right, title and interest of John Charles Fremont defendant in and to a certain Landed Estate, known as the Los Mariposas Estate, or a sufficiency thereof to satisfy an execution in my hands, in favor of James King of Wm., the plaintiff for the sum of Eighty Four Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Dollars, together with interest and cost. This Land Claim, as above named, is claimed by John Charles Fremont by right of purchase from Ex-Governor Juan V. Alvarado, and is situated upon Mariposa creek or river, and comprises all the country, or nearly so, that is drained by said stream or water course, there being no survey or plot of the aforesaid Land Claim that I can hear of I am unable to define or specify its boundaries more accurately than as aforesaid. I will after having sold the Town Lots as laid off in the village of Mariposa, on the date aforesaid, if there be not a sufficiency of money raised from the proceeds of said sales to satisfy the aforesaid execution and costs, proceed to sell the remaining portion of the Claim in amounts not to exceed six hundred and forty acres at a time, and commencing upon its south-western boundary.

Terms of sale cash.

J. BOLING,
my19-4t Sheriff of Mariposa County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable County Court, I will offer for sale on Saturday the 10th day of June, A. D. 1854, the following property, to wit: A certain Frame House and Frame Stable in the village of Agua Frio, on Main street, and known as B. F. Whittier's Stable, Boarding House and Drinking Saloon, and has been levied upon as the property of B. F. Whittier defendant, to satisfy a Judgment in favor of Willis, Davis & Co., on a Mechanics' Lien. Sale to be made in view of the Clerk's Office in the village of Mariposa.

Terms of sale cash.

my19-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable County Court I will sell to the highest bidder, in the village of Mariposa, in front of the Court House door, on Saturday the 3d day of June, A. D. 1854, the following property, to wit: A certain Frame House, situated on Main street, in the village of Mariposa, and opposite the Clerk's office, and is now occupied by Isaac Lyons defendant, and being sold as his property to satisfy a Judgment on a Mechanics' Lien, in favor of Newton, Schoonover & Co., plaintiffs.

Terms of sale cash.

my12-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable County Court, of Mariposa County, I will offer for sale on Saturday the 3d day of June, 1854, in the village of Mariposa, in front of the Court House door, the following property, to wit: A certain Frame House about half way up from the foot to the top of the large Hill, between Corbitt's Ranch and the Cow and Calf Ranch, and on the Stockton road. The above named property has been levied upon as the property of E. Cole defendant, to satisfy a Judgment on a Mechanics' Lien, in favor of Harbour, White & Co. plaintiffs. Terms of sale cash.

my12-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of Whitacre & Gould, in the publication of the Mariposa Chronicle newspaper, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. W. T. WHITACRE,
a28-3t A. S. GOULD.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—The undersigned having purchased the interest of A. S. Gould in the publication of the Mariposa Chronicle newspaper, have associated themselves under the name of W. T. Whitacre & Co., as joint partners, and will continue the publication as heretofore.

The new firm are alone authorised to settle the business of the late firm. Mariposa, April 24th, 1854.

W. T. WHITACRE,
C. W. BLAISDELL,
a28-3t J. C. HOPPER.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between I. FRANKL & CO., in Mariposa and Carson Creek, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. I. Frankl, who continues the business in Mariposa, as before, is authorized to receive all the debts due the late firm I. FRANKL.

MAYER S. ASCHHEIM,
JULIUS SALOMONSON.

Mariposa, March 30th, 1854. m31-tf

Administrator's Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of BENJAMIN SNELLING, deceased, late of Mariposa county, are hereby notified to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers to the subscriber, at his residence at Snelling's Ranch, on the Merced river, Mariposa county, within ten months from the date of this notice, or such claims will be forever barred.

WILLIAM S. SNELLING,
Adm'r. of Benj. Snelling, deceased.
Mariposa, April 7th, 1854. ap7-tf

Notice.

THIS is to certify that NEWELL & CO., are no longer Agents for us in Stockton or the Southern Mines, and have no right to use our name in any matter. The business will hereafter be conducted by us on our own account. ADAMS & CO.

Stockton, March 11, 1854. m31-tf

THOMAS LAWSON vs. M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham, Wm. T. Ray.

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, held in and for Mariposa county, State of California, A. D. 1854.

It appearing to me upon the affidavit of Samuel A. Merritt, Attorney for the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, that the defendants M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham and Wm. T. Ray cannot, after due diligence, be found in this State, or that they conceal themselves so that a summons in this case cannot be executed upon them; and further, that the plaintiff has a good cause of action against the defendants, and the said defendants are proper parties to be made defendants to this action: It is therefore ordered, that service of the summons in this case be made by publishing the same once a week for three months in the Mariposa Chronicle, a newspaper published in the village of Mariposa, in this State.

Given under my hand, at Mariposa, this, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1854.

J. M. BONDURANT, County Judge.

I, EDWD. C. BELL, Clerk of the District Court, held in and for the County of Mariposa, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original order now on file in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this { L. S. } 27th day of March, 1854.

EDWD. C. BELL, Clerk.
By CHS. GRAY, Deputy Clerk.

The State of California, }
County of Mariposa. }

In the District Court of the 5th Judicial District, held in and for Mariposa county, State of California, A. D. 1854.

The People of the State of California, to M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham, and Wm. T. Ray, defendants. *Greeting:*

You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint of Thomas Lawson, plaintiff, in said court filed against you, within ten days from the service of this writ, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in this county, but if served on you without said county, then in forty days from such service, exclusive of the day of service, in an action of debt, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of Four Hundred and Forty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 23d day of February, 1852, at the rate of five per cent. per month; said amount being due from said defendants to said plaintiff, upon a promissory note, dated 23d February, 1852, for above amount. If you fail to answer said complaint as directed, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the aforesaid sum, interest, and costs of suit, by default.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the { L. S. } village of Mariposa, this the 27th day of March, 1854.

EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk.
By CHARLES GRAY, Deputy Clerk.

SAMUEL A. MERRITT, Atty. for plaintiff. m31-4m

Legal Notices.

Notice!

PERSONS knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber, will confer a great favor by settling the same with Messrs. Stair & Baldrige, at the old stand, who are authorized to receive and receipt for all monies due me, during my temporary absence from home. Coulterville, May 16, 1854.

my19-3t G. W. COULTER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Van Dyke, Hussy & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. April 10, 1854.

J. M. VAN DYKE,
PATRICK HUSSY,
HUGH DIMOND.

THE business of the late firm will be continued in the same place by the undersigned, under the firm of Dimond & Co.

HUGH DIMOND,
PATRICK HUSSY,
a28-tf CHAS. F. McDERMOTT.

Tulare County.

Office of the County Clerk, Tulare County, }
VISALIA, 18th March, 1854. }

A PUBLIC AUCTION OF TOWN LOTS OF VISALIA, seat of Justice of Tulare County, will be held at said Town on TUESDAY, 6th June.

—ALSO—

On the same day, at the Court House, Visalia, the contract for building the county jail, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

By order of the Board of Supervisors Tulare County.

m31-3tm A. B. GORDON, County Clerk.

NOTICE.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between L. A. Holmes, Charles J. Newcomb and T. C. Osborn, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons indebted to the above firm, are requested to make immediate payment to L. A. Holmes, who is alone authorized to receive the same.

Mariposa, April 24, 1854. L. A. HOLMES,
CHARLES J. NEWCOMB,
my12-3t T. C. OSBORN.

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MARIPOSA:

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 2, 1854.

☞ MR. PAUL S. NILES, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorised to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

☞ NOTICE.—This is to inform all whom it may concern, that DAVID W. BUCK is alone authorized to transact any business on the part of the Mariposa Chronicle, in San Francisco, and any persons making payments for our account to any others than our authorized agents, after the date of the dissolution of the firm of Whitacre & Goult, the notice of which was published in the Mariposa and San Francisco papers, will be held responsible to us for the sums so paid. Mariposa, June 2, 1854.

W. T. WHITACRE & CO.

☞ Hon P. T. HERBERT will address the citizens of Mariposa, on SATURDAY, June 3d, at 7 o'clock, P. M., in front of the Southern Hotel in this town, rendering an account of his course during the last Legislative session.

In another week the Court of Sessions again holds a sitting for the transacting of County business. We believe that almost the whole population of this County are convinced of the necessity of taking some steps towards the erection of a Court House, and also of making some provisions for the safety of prisoners.

The late boring out operation of Cowin and Wiley, and consequent escape of these two worthies, has opened the eyes of the public to the insecurity and uselessness of our present jail arrangements. Nearly all of the most notorious criminals in California have managed to escape from the shanties and hulks called jails.

The almost impossibility of convicting persons of great crimes, and the certainty of escape when by some queer arrangement one was convicted, gave rise to the existence of Vigilance Committees. Their course was usually a summary one, but it had the effect of preventing crime, and driving the hordes of rascals from the country in an incredible short space of time. When the murder of Newman was known here, a Vigilance Committee was organized without any desire to interfere with the "*due course of law*," but with an intention to see that the prisoner Cowin should receive only what he deserved; a guard was stationed at the jail, and after the sentence of the prisoner he was securely ironed. It is not a little singular that no efforts were made by the friends of the murderer to effect his escape during the time that the jail was guarded by this Committee, more particularly as previous to the withdrawal of the Committee's guard, Cowin's hopes of having a reprieve or commutation of sentence grant d him were small indeed; but a grea hurrah was raised about the evil effects f Vigilance Committees in general, and his one in particular, and of the prop ty and justice of letting the "*law take i s course.*" It has now had it, and for the benefit of all concerned, we hope that its course may be changed as soon as possible. But to get back to the jail again, it is more than probable—although we have not investigated the matter—that the present building has cost, including additions and repairs, more than $6000. This sum with the labor of prisoners would have been sufficient to build a jail of stone, from which there would be but little hope of escape, and all expenses for repairs, saved. Wooden jails, or no jails at all, together with the criminal indifference of California juries, have done more to foster crime than all other causes combined.

Some reforms and improvements of the above kind—to say nothing of many others—are loudly called for by the people, and we are possessed of an antiquated notion that they have a right to a "say" in the matter at least.

Great excitement was kicked up in San Francisco last week, by a report that the Russian frigate Diana was cruising outside the Heads, on the look-out for French and English merchantmen, and that the British Consul had dispatched a pilot boat in search of an English frigate supposed to be cruising between Monterey and San Diego. A number of persons went out to the Heads to witness the engagement, and one party even chartered a small vessel to convey them out to sea. One of the latter number, on his return, furnished the Herald with an account of an engagement witnessed by them between the Russian ship and an English steamer which happened along, the result of which was the capture of the former, and that when they left, the ship was in tow of the steamer making for San Francisco.

The whole affair was nothing more than a hoax, and it proved a successful one. The Russian frigate could not possibly have known any thing of the declaration f war since her last port was Valparaiso veral months ago.

now NOTHINGS.—The papers are filled notices and remarks concerning a hat remarkable society, under this hich has lately sprung into exis- the Atlantic States. It appears olitical object, and has already decided influence upon elec- l of the larger Eastern cities. San Francisco Times and ll for a meeting in that it appears to have ex- the ob- a. As far as d, we are concerned, at o believe th neighbor- there is material enough in this to establish and maintain a very respectable sized lodge of worthies under the above title.

SEXTON'S CREEK.—More evidence of the richness of the mines in this county can can be found in the neighborhood of this creek, which has been worked since '50 and still yields handsomely. Messrs. Bliss & Co., just below the old quantz mill, realized $125 per man for last week's labor, and have made since in one day $65 each. This might with safety be considered pretty good wages. Two Mexicans working in the creek, opposite Colorado, took out a beautiful specimen weighing ten ounces, besides one other of three ounces. The gold in this creek is of a very heavy description. We saw a quantity received by Mr. Torney, merchant at Colorado, most of which consisted of pieces weighing from one dollar up to three ounces.

MORE OF THE SAME SORT.—Another large piece of gold bearing quartz, weighing 83 lbs., and several smaller pieces, were found last week in the claim from which the 196 pound piece was taken out. Messrs. Neimeir, Mach and Seals are the lucky *hombres*. The 83 pound lump is widely estimated—some putting it as high as $2,000, and others as low as $1,000, On Saturday evening, a French company offered one of the party $2,000 in cash for the claim, but it was refused, the owners asking $3,000.

WASHINGTON FLAT.—Great preparations are making at this point on the Merced for extensive mining operations. The diggings are in a high bank of the river, and have been supplied with water from Solomon's Gulch, but that having failed, a company are now about erecting machinery capable of elevating a thousand gallons of water per minute, to a height of over seventy feet, by which means a full supply of water will be obtained.

SOUTH FORK OF THE MERCED.—Several parties who have been out prospecting on the South Fork of the Merced river, have returned, and report rich diggings. The best evidence of the fact is, that they have all purchased largely of provisions and gone back. In a week or so, we will be able to give some definite news in regard to the new diggings.

SHERLOCK'S, LOWER.—Our accounts from Sherlock's below the falls, are good.—Though miners are now making good wages, they will do much better in the summer, when they fairly get into their claims.

NEW ROAD FROM STOCKTON.—The subject of a new road, branching off from the old road at Corbitt's Ranch, and avoiding what is called the "Big Hill," has long been mooted, but never carried into effect. We would like to see the work token in hand and carried. It would be a saving in distance of two miles, and bring the travel through the town of Agua Frio, and the whole way on nearly level ground.—Teamsters would then be able to bring more freight on better terms, and the stage would reach this place several hours earlier than it does at present.

RIDING PARTY.—An equestrian party came off a few days since, in which about a dozen couple enjoyed themselves in fine style. The party started from Mt. Ophir, and brought up at Schrœders, on the Merced river. Messrs. Schrœder & Co. had a splendid supper prepared on their arrival, after which the goddess Terpsichore reigned supreme 'till broad day light. We are sorry we are not able to comply with the invitation tendered us.

THE NEW ROAD.—Some time since a new road was commenced from this place to Church's store, and why it has not been finished, we are at a loss to tell. Why is not the matter attended to? If the Supervisor first appointed, has given it up, let the Court of Sessions at its next sitting, appoint another, so that the road may be completed. It will be a great benefit to the community, "Lilliputian" to the contrary.

POLITICAL.—Both the two great political parties are now organizing for the coming struggle, and from appearances, it will be a warm one. We are ready to attend to all orders in the printing line for either party, but as to mixing with party questions, we are like the woman when her better half had the *fout* with the bear—we "don't care a d—n which whips."

NEW RACE TRACK.—Mr. L. Vining has completed a new race track just beyond Hopperville, 900 yards long, on which the bloods have been trying their nags during the past week. We hear of a $400 match being made, to come off in a few days.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We received a communication from our friend "Ike Snukes," which, by some means was lost, excepting a small portion; consequently we are unable to publish it. We also received one from the Merced region—an excellent article, but too long for publication.

"GOOSE QUILL."—We give our entire outside this week to a new correspondent from Monterey. We invite our readers to give it a perusal—although long, it will be found interesting. Mr. "Goose Quill," we will be glad to hear from you as often as convenient.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.—The Shasta Courier says, it is rumored that the Democratic State Convention is to be called to assemble on the 12th of June. This will of course prevent the attendance of Delegates from the more Northern counties.—Indeed, it will nearly give the Democracy of this county time to select proper delegates. We can scarcely credit the report, although communicated to us by a well informed democrat in San Francisco. If it is true, however, there is some trick in it, being played to cheat somebody.

JUDGE LYNCH AGAIN IN THE FIELD.—A few days ago, at a fandango house, kept by a Mexican in Hornitas, a trifling difficulty occurred between a butcher of that place named Thompson, and a Mexican. Our informant states, that the Mexican ran against Mr. T., whereupon he thrust him back with his hand, drawing his pistol at the same time. The Mexican retired for a short time, but being hissed by a crowd of his countrymen, he drew his knife and plunged it into the breast of Mr. Thompson, inflicting a dangerous wound. The Mexican was immidiately seized by a crowd, and hurried to a tree near by, where he was strung up to a limb and left. We regret the necessity for such acts, yet cannot condemn, as it is by such decisive measures alone, that we can gain security for either lives or property. The wounded man is not expected to recover.

ANOTHER.—A drunken Emerald Islander shot a Chinaman in a house of ill-fame in Hornitas, the ball passing through his thigh. He was arrested and examined before Esquire Brockway, and sent to the County Jail, to await his trial—more likely to bore out, if he has any friends.

NEWS EXPECTED.—The Uncle Sam was expected to arrive on Wednesday last and the Panama steamers on yesterday, with two week's later news from the Eastern States and Europe. We may expect to hear of important operations in Europe—perhaps several battles have already been fought.

NEW VARIETY OF WHEAT.—The Stockton Journal describes a new species of wheat grown near that city. "The head of this article is about eight inches long, and numbers about the same quantity of grains. But the singularity consists in the length of the grain, which measures about three times as long as the white wheat."

BARLEY CROP.—The Barley crop on the Merced, and in other parts of the county is now nearly all gathered. We are informed that the yield will not be as large as that of last year, and that there was also much less ground put down in barley, although the difference is more than made up by the large amount of wheat sown.

SONORA WATER WORKS.—The Sonora Herald announces that Messrs. Cooper & Co., proprietors of the Gold Mount Water Works, have nearly completed their operations, and in the course of this week will have water ready for distribution in all parts of the city.

The Merced and other rivers in the Southern mines, still continue very high for this season of the year. The snow in mountains has commenced melting, and it is supposed by many, that owing to the late spring, the rivers will continue too high for mining operations until late in the summer.

Owing to a typographical error in the notice of the speech of Mr Herbert in our last week's issue, it was made to come off on the 7th instead of the 3d inst. We advise every body to attend to-morrow who can conveniently do so, and hear and judge for themselves.

An election will be held in Calaveras county, the 14th inst., to decide whether that county shall be divided, and create from it the new county of Amadore.

Uncle Tom's Cabin is being played at the American theatre, San Francisco.

Recorder Baker, of San Francisco, insists upon the Common Council accepting his resignation.

SQUATTING.—The Herald says that squatting is rampant in that city again, occasioned by the general impression that the claim of San Francisco to the Public lands will not be confirmed by the U. S. Commissioners.

OREGON NEWS.—The steamer Columbia arrived at San Francisco on last Saturday morning from Oregon.

The crops throughout the country are said to look unusually well, particularly the spring grains.

The Oregon Weekly Times has the names of fifty-two democratic candidates for office at the head of its columns, which of course makes fifty-two whig candidates as opponents.

A Main Law Temperance ticket is in the field.

Mr. A. J. Lamb, living in Clackamas county, was murdered by his wife, his daughter, a young woman of sixteen, aiding and abetting in the atrocious deed.

DETERIORATED COIN.—A new species of villainy in the way of stealing, says the San Francisco Sun, by robbing from the current value of coin, has just made is appearance amongst us. It is practised on fifty dollar pieces, or "slugs" as they are called, by cutting away the sides of the octagon, and subsequently indenting the edges so as to make it appear natural those that we have seen have been depreciated in value from seven to eight dollars each, we therefore put our readers on their guard. They can be easily detected by a little emamination; and auctioneers especially should be careful in overhauling the money they receive, particularly as there is much spurious coin of different denominations afloat.

A short time ago, an extensive swindle was practised, by drilling slugs edgwise with a brace bit, until about six or seven dollars worth of gold was removed, when the hole was filled up with lead, and neatly gilded over. There is every reason to believe that quite a quantity of these are still in circulation.

STILL MORE.—A Dutch ship arrived in San Francisco on Saturday last, bringing five hundred more Chinese.

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE AND THE NORTHERN "NIGGERS" FALLING OUT.—A few weeks since, says an Eastern paper, at a meeting of what they call in that State "The Massachusetts State Council of Colored Americans," (!) the following resolutions were adopted. It is nothing more than we expected, when we first heard of her Uncle Tom's Cabin:

Resolved, That when Mrs. Stowe promised the colored people of this country a large donation from the funds collected from her friends and ours in Europe, for the establishment of a school adapted to our wants, we rejoiced in the hope of great and lasting good to our race from that noble enterprise.

Resolved, That her late refusal to make that contribution in aid of our elevation, has filled us with unfeigned regret and mortification, and compelled us to believe that she has been acted upon by other influences than the dictates of her own good heart.

The S. F. Sun contains the following later intelligence concerning the Petrita difficulty:

MAZATLAN, April 18, 1854.

Two vessels have brought a certain number of passengers from Guymas, who were not armed with passports. These passengers, instead of having been sent back, as they should have been, were arrested and imprisoned; some of them have been brought here in irons. The English and American Consuls, after having endeavored to intervene, but in vain, gave notice to the ships-of-war of their respective nations, which immediately hastened here. The British corvette instantly dispatched an armed boat on board of the vessel containing the prisoners, and without any other form of process set their countrymen at liberty. The Americans have shown themselves more imperious; they have not only demanded the liberty of their citizens, but also, that each one shall be indemnified for damages sustained, which will amount to a considerable claim collectively. A delay of several days was granted, which will expire to-morrow. Such is our present position;—but no one gives it much attention, because they are persuaded that the Governor will accede to the demands of the Americans.

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS IN RUSSIA.—There are now to be seen at the Exchange news room, two copies of Galigani's Messenger—one of Dec. 3d, and the other of the 9th of the same month, which were transmitted from the office in Paris to an Irish gentleman at St. Petersburg. They exhibit, very forcibly, the freedom of the press in Russia, both papers having been well riddled by the Russian authorities, previous to their delivery to the gentleman to whom they were addressed.—Whole columns of the contents of each have been cut away, and other portions completely obliterated. The parts destroyed, from what remains, appeared to have referred to the conduct of the Emperor. We are informed that not a copy of the London Times is allowed to be seen at St. Petersburg.—*Stockton Journal.*

FRENCH CONSUL.—A *nolle prosequi* was entered in the case of Mr. Dillon, on whose trial the jury disagreed. No further proceedings are therefore to qe had in the matter. The verdict is left for the people to give, and those who have looked into the charges and the testimony adduced, will not probably differ as to whether the [illegible] were not violated by the French Consul.—*Stockton Journal.*

SUBMERGED.—Some mischievous wags of Sonora, says the Columbia Clipper, at the dead hour of night attached a hose to one of the principal fire plugs, and conducted it to the top of a house occupied by Chinese of both sexes. The word "pass on the water" was given, and in an incredible short time a swarm of the Mongolian race came tumbling out, and as wet as drowned rats. One of the John's after shaking off what water he could, made the following speech: "Chinaman wash Melakin man shirt, chargee he two bits; Melakin man wash Hong Kong-a-Canton no chargee one cent. Melakin man no good, no sabe *he*."

There are said to be some 17,000 of the Jewish faith in the United States. Their churches number 31. Probably 6,000 Jews are to be found in the city of New York. We seldom find one in our prisons or penitentiaries. They are not frequently found in our hospitals, and never in our poor houses. At Ward's Island, where so many hundreds of the poor, drifting across from the shores of the Old World are continually gathering, we find all classes of Christians—Quakers, perhaps, excepted—and all shades of infidels represented, but never a Jew.

THE ALLIED FLEETS TO BE BLOWN UP!—The N. Y. Herald, a paper noted for originating startling rumors, states that Ex-Alderman Wesley Smith, together with several other Americans, went out in the last outward trip of the Baltic, in company with M. Grunwald, a Russian officer bound to St. Petersburg, and that they are in contract with Russia for the destruction of the allied fleet in the Baltic, by means of Taylor's Submarine Armor and Colt's Submarine Battery. They are to receive £100,000 sterling for the clean job, or a proportionable sum for all services short of that.

CALIFORNIA WOOL.—We saw a large scow loaded with wool, going into a storehouse in this city. Upon inquiry we found it came from San Jose, the product of a flock there. We could not learn the owner or purchaser; but we saw in "this lot of wool," indices of our future woolen manufactories. The day cannot be far distant when our mountain streams shall be converted into mill streams, and the flocks that gambol upon our hills shall give their fleece to manufacture the broadcloths, cassimeres and other woolens that clothe our people, and the wealth now sent away shall be retained to sustain our "home manufactures."—*Cal. Farmer.*

Col. Colt has received an order from the British Government to furnish their Baltic fleet with 5,000 of his navy pistols, as soon as possible; and he is notified that the entire fleet is to be furnished with them. The armory in Hartford, Conn., will be required to do a good portion of this work, and probably the European orders for Colt's pistols will be immense.

The Marysville Express says, at ten o'clock on the morning after the fire, a large number of buildings were going up on the site of those destroyed.

CHEAP.—The stage fare from Mokelumne Hill to Stockton has been reduced to one dollar.

INDIAN HOSTILITIES IN SISKIYOU.—The Shasta Courier has late advices from the North, from which it appears that the Indians are at their old work. Their first depredations were perpetrated near and upon the Siskiyou Mountain, by the band of the renowned chief Tipsey. They first stole five American horses and one mule near the Mountain. The same day they attacked the train of Messrs. Gates & Claymer, near the top of the Mountain, and killed Mr. Gates; Mr. Claymer made his escape. It is supposed that two more white men were killed at the same time. Lieutenant Bonnycastle, who was in the valley, in command of a number of United States troops, has been joined by the De Chute Indians, and will proceed at once to Siskiyou Mountain, and by the assistance of the Indians, take the track of Tipsey where the recent murders were committed.

CHINESE FIGHT.—The Chinese in and around Jackson, says the Calaveras Chronicle, are to have a great field-day shortly, in consequence of some question of Celestial policy. It is said that the Emperor has ordered a tax to be levied on every man and woman of his Empire, living in California, for the support of the war, and this has aroused the Hongkongs and Cantons, who are determined to settle the question by a fight. Blacksmiths are at work preparing the weapons.

A SIGN OF THE TIMES.—The most extraordinary dispatch, says the San Joaquin Republican, is observable among the U. S. officers engaged in fortifying the entrance to the bay of San Francisco. There has been hurrying to and fro; vessels have been chartered for the conveyance of cannon and ammunition to Fort Point, and Gen. Wool spares no pains or expense to place the Golden Gate in a complete state of defence.

The Burglars in San Francisco have called science to their aid. Chloroform is used as an agent to keep the sleepers quiet, while they rifle the house of its valuables. A great people inhabit San Francisco.

BERDAN'S QUARTZ CRUSHER.—A company of gentlemen in London have bought the patent right to Berdan's Quartz Crusher, for $500,000. This machine, it is said, is exactly suited to the wants of our Quartz Miners.

We would direct the special attention of our readers to the advertisement of valuable stock for sale, by Capt. Ankrim, in another column.

AUCTION.—We call attention to those in want of a fine family residence, in the centre of our town, to the sale to take place on the 10th inst.

CONGRESSIONAL DOCUMENTS.—Hon. Wm. M. Gwin has placed us under renewed obligations for valuable public documents.

EXPRESS FAVORS.—We acknowledge ourselves under obligations to the different Express Companies, for favors during the past week.

KERN RIVER.—Quite an excitement has been raised in Millerton about new diggings on Kern river. Nerly every person at Ft. Miller, has left for that place.

Burglaries, squatter riots, and duels, appear to be the most popular amusements at present in San Francisco. Happy people!

The wheat crop of San Joaquin county is now estimated at 600,000 bushels.

Lieut. George H. Derby has been appointed Superintendent of Light Houses, on the California and Oregon coast.

The Yreka Herald estimates the loss by the recent fire in that place at $150,000.

POPULATION.—During the week that has just passed, over 1500 people have landed on our shores. During the same time, 600 left, giving a surplus in favor of California of 900 souls.

STATE BONDS.—Hon. S. A. McMeans, advertises proposals for the redemption of $10,000 of State 7 per cent. bonds, falling due March 1st, 1855.

The largest and the oldest bridge in the world, is said to be that of Kingtung, in China, where it forms a perfect road from the top of one lofty mountain to the top of another.

A PEACH ORCHARD.—The Marysville Herald says George H. Beach has, on his farm near that city 3000 bearing peach trees.

MURDER TRIAL.—The trial of Edward H. Avery, for the murder of his mistress, Susannah Russell, while coming to California on the Yankee Blade, was to commence on the 29th ult., in the U. S. District Court, San Francisco.

MARRIED:

On the 15th inst., by James Gaines, Esq., Mr. Samuel H. P. Ross to Mrs. Modest L. Ruddle, all of this county.

New Orleans and St. Louis papers please copy.

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, are requested to settle up without delay. The undersigned can be found at the old stand, now occupied by Messrs. Dean & O'Donnell ready to attend to calls of the above nature, and wind up the old business.

jn2-3m J. F. McNAMARA.

Attention!!

I. KRAFT informs his old customers, and the public in general, that he has taken the well known stand of

POSNER & CO.,

On Main street, opposite the Franklin Boarding House,

and having received a Fresh supply of

FINE SUMMER AND OTHER CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, LADIES' GOODS, &c.,

is now ready and willing to wait on all who may favor him with a call, and supply them with the best articles at prices to suit the times.

As Cheap as the Cheapest, and as Good as the Best!

Mariposa, June 2, 1854

jn2-tf I. KRAFT.

New Advertisements.

Rosenbaum & Joachimssen

DEALERS IN

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Centre Street, Stockton.

THERE ARE FUNDS IN THE TREASURY FOR THE Redemption of the following numbers of Scrip, the owners of which will please present it for payment.:

Number.	Number.
756	836
758	837
759	838
760	839
761	840
763	841
774	842
777	843
779	844
782	845
785	846
787	847
790	848
791	849
799	850
800	851
801	852
802	853
803	854
804	855
805	856
806	857
807	858
808	859
809	860
811	861
817	862

Mariposa, May 29, 1844.

W. W. WARD,

jn2-2t County Treasurer.

For Sale,

The Quartz and Saw Mill,

ON Whitlock's. Together with a Large Lot of PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Apply to L. A. Rogers, Whitlock's, or to R. H. Daly, Mariposa. jn2-tf

For Sale,

A part of the Ranche, known as the BURNS' RANCHE.

Apply to L. H. Bunnell. jn2-tf

Auction Sale!

OF A

VALUABLE

AND PLEASANTLY SITUATED

House and Lot!

WILL be sold to the *highest bidder*, without reserve, on

SATURDAY THE 10TH DAY OF JUNE NEXT,

on the premises, that pleasant and well constructed Adobe Dwelling House and Lot, situated between Adams & Co.'s Express Office, and the "New Store," (in the village of Mariposa,) formerly owned and occupied by G. Green. This lot fronts twenty-two feet on Main street—in the centre of the town—the house sitting back forty-five feet from said street, and is well located and constructed for a family residence for a business man.

For further particulars apply to Col. S. A. Merritt, or to Geo. E. Gardner, Agent in Adams & Co.'s Office.

Terms made known on day of sale.

Mariposa, May 29, 1854.

jn2-2t M. A. C. GREEN.

Valuable Stock

FOR SALE!

CONSISTING OF

30 *Fine Cows with Calves;*

250 *Fat Steers;*

1 *Beautiful Durham Bull, only two years old, of bright red color, and weighing nearly 500 lbs;*

1 *Pair of well matched, handsome American Mules, fifteen hands high and well proportioned;*

1 *Excellent working Mule for single harness;*

1 *Good saddle Mule.*

The above Stock can be seen at the Camp of the subscriber, on the Stockton and Fort Miller Road, a few miles north of Peacock's, and near Captain Boling's Rancho. For information can be obtained at DEAN & O'DONNELL'S Store, in the town of Mariposa.

June 2, 1854.

jn2-tf WM. J. ANKRIM.

EL DORADO HOTEL

AND

BILLIARD SALOON,

On Charles, between 3d and 4th streets, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, proprietor of the above named Hotel, have recently re-furnished their sleeping apartments in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the public, and as heretofore, will hold themselves in readiness to wait upon all who may favor them with a call.

The Billiard Saloon contains one of Winain's best Tables; and the choisest Liquors and best Cigars will be kept constantly on hand.

For beds inquire at the bar.

Connected with the above establishment is a splendid Restaurant, where meals of every description can be obtained at all hours.

jn2-1y GREEN B. ABEL.

Henry A. Smith & Co.'s

Grand Raffle!!!

$100,000!

CONSISTING OF

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS IN SLUGS

Farm, Residence, Building Lots, Watches, &c., &c.

Guaranteed to come off at the *AMERICAN THEATRE*, San Francisco,

ON THE FOURTH DAY OF JULY, 1854.

TICKETS, $1,00 EACH.

To be had of the Proprietors, at their office, corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, or at the principal Book Stores, Hotels or Saloons, throughout the city and State.

1st Grand Prize—Ten Thousand Dollars in cash..... $10,000

24 Grand Prize—One handsome Residence, consisting of three acres of land, with a beautiful Cottage House, in the city of Oakland, on Broadway, within five minutes walk of the Steamboat Landing. The Proprietors own the property under the Peralta title, and two years' possession—the same, with a warrantee deed, will be given the drawer. Valued at..... 5,000

34 Grand Prize—One Ranch, consisting of 160 acres of land, with a good House, Farming Utensils, &c., &c., this valuable Ranch is located in San Jose Valley, and is held under a confirmed Spanish title; a warrantee deed will be given to the drawer. Valued at..... 4,000

4 to 254—Two hundred and fifty valuable building Lots in the City of Oakland, the Brooklin of San Francisco, situated on Broadway, within five minutes walk of the landing. These Lots are unquestionably the most beautiful sites for residences in the State, and are too well known to need description. The proprietors hold the Peralta title and have possession; the drawers will receive warrantee deeds. Size, 25x100; valued low at $200 each..... 50,000

255 to 465—Two hundred and ten Fine Gold Lever Watches, Hunting cases, each of equal value; valued at $100..... 21,000

466 to 666—Two hundred elegant Chinese Shawls, high cost. These Shawls are of the same quality as are sold daily in this city at $50 each, each one of equal value; valued at $50 each,.. 10,000

CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned, are acquainted with the parties owning the property offered in this Raffle, and also know the Real Estate referred to, and we assure the Public that we consider the title to the property is indisputable.

HON. D. S. SHAFTUCK,
JAMES A. MORRISON, M. D.

The proprietors in conducting this Raffle, bind themselves to carry it on in a manner that will be satisfactory to all who may buy tickets. The drawing will be done by gentlemen chosen by the holders of Tickets, each county in the State sending a committee of one for that purpose. Maps of the Real Estate, and samples of the property may be seen at their office corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets.

For the responsibility of the Proprietors of this Raffle, and that it will be conducted with honesty and integrity, we refer to

His Excellency JOHN BIGLER,
Hon. J. W. DENVER, Secretary of State,
J. H. HARDENBERG, Mayor of Sacramento,
Hon. LEWIS ALDRICH,
Maj. W. H. HARVEY, Sergt-at-Arms Senate,
L. WILSON, Wilson's Exchange,
DAVID BOOTH, Hotel, Sac. City.

my8-1d

ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

IHR UND ICH.

O, ihr könnt am Lenz euch freuen,
Jubeln durch den Wald und Hain,
Scherz und Lust euch stets erneuen,
Ausgelassen, fröhlich sein.

Wohl, so konnt ich einst mich freuen,
Jauchzen durch den dunkeln Hain,
Scherz und Lust mir stets erneuen,
Fröhlich nie wie Kinder sein.

Doch sie starb, die schöne Rose,
Die mir jene Lust gebracht,
Und bedeikt vom weichen Moose
Schlummert sie in dunklem Schacht.

Mit ihr ist der Lenz gegangen,
Mit ihr floh der duft ge Hain,
All die Lieder, die mir klangen
Gingen und—ich blieb allein.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.]

MILLERTON, May 22, 1854.

Messrs. Editors:—As an excitement has broken out and depopulated our town, I think it but right that you should give publicity to the cause of depopulation. It appears that some six weeks since Mr. Charles Worldan and others started from here to the head waters of Kern river prospecting; they have returned and reported the discovery of "rich diggins." Their actions spoke louder than their words—purchasing about a thousand dollars worth of provisions, tools, etc. They left yesterday for the land of their discovery, taking with them sixteen "Celestials" to work the bar, to which they have laid claim. The statement of Mr. Worldan and party is this, that on Kern's river for the distance of forty or fifty miles, there is sufficient dirt, paying from five to fifteen cents to the pan, upon the surface to last a thousand men for two years. What there is upon the ledge they could not determine, the water preventing their sinking to the bed rock. From the prospects which they have made whilst there, they express their opinion that the neighborhood of Kern's river is as rich as any diggings, south of Nevada in their palmiest days. The nearest and most direct route from Mariposa is via of Converse's Ferry on the San Joaquin river, Pool's on King's river, so on to Tule river and Dry Creek, crossing the creek and following the wagon trail up its southern bank for the distance of ten miles, where the trail turns to the right, passing through two Indian "Rancherias," the first inhabited and the last deserted. By following the above marks there will be no danger of delay on the road, to any who wish to try their fortune in the Kern's river country.

I should not send you the above account did I not, as well as all who are acquainted with Mr. Worldan, place the most implicit confidence in his statement as regards the mines and their richness.

Since writing the above, this account has been corroborated by parties coming in from the Four Creeks and King's river countries. All who can leave are going, many leaving claims that are paying from five to twelve dollars per day. Neither mules or horses can be obtained for love or money. Both of our Justices, Stallo and Donaldson, are leaving; they say as there are no citizens here, their services will not be required, and they consider that they have as good a right to a share of the golden egg as others.

Hoping that in a few days more we shall hear of still richer developments, proving beyond a doubt that the Southern Mines are equal to the Northern in mineral wealth, I am most

Truly yours,
VERITAS.

Coultersville Advertisements.

Coulter Hotel, *In Coultersville.*

THE undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa county, and the public generally, that he has rented the above well known Establishment from Mr. G. W. Coulter, and hopes that the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the House may be continued.

The TABLE will be furnished, at all times, with the best the market can afford, and there will be no pains spared in catering to the appetites of his customers.

JOHN M. SINGER.
Coultersville, March 1854. m24-tf

Union House.

STORE, SALOON AND RESTAURANT.

COULTERSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

RIVEST & WHITE take this method of informing the Public that they have the different departments of the above House in complete order, and they will always be found ready to serve customers in either the

STORE, SALOON OR RESTAURANT.

In the store will always be found a full assortmetn of Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, and Mining Tools, besides everything usually kept in Stores in the mining region.

The SALOON will be supplied with the choicest liquors, and the TABLE with the best the market affords, at all times.

JOHN RIVEST.
LEWIS WHITE.
Coultersville, March 1, 1854. m3-tf

City Hotel.

COULTERSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

THE Subscriber, proprietor of the above named House, takes pleasure in announcing to the public, that he is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage. His TABLE will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords, and the LODGING DEPARTMENT will be found equal to any in the country.

Particular attention paid to the STABLING of Horses and Mules. ALEX. A. OBARR.
Coultersville, March 1, 1854. m3-tf
ALEX. STAIR. JAMES H. BALDRIGE.

Stair & Baldrige.

THE undersigned hereby inform the citizens of Coulterville, and vicinity, that they have purchased the Old, Favorite and well known establishment of

G. W. COULTER,

at the above place, and will always keep on hand a large and well selected stock of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND LIQUORS,

besides all other descriptions of Goods suitable for the mines.

With a full and earnest endeavor to please *all*, both in quality and price, they respectfully solicit a call from their friends and the public generally.

Coulterville, Jan. 27th, 1854.
ALEX. STAIR.
feb3-tf JAS. H. BALDRIGE.

C. POWELL,

Notary Public, under the law of 1853,

COULTERVILLE, MARIPOSA CO., CAL.

feb3-tf

Lumber! Lumber!!

THE undersigned take this method of informing the public, that they are prepared to furnish every description of LUMBER, on the shortest notice, at their

STEAM SAW MILL, 4 MILES FROM COULTERSVILLE,

on the most reasonable terms. They are prepared to deliver Lumber to their customers; and by strict attention to business, they hope to receive a liberal patronage.

SMITH HUNT & CO.
Coultersville, March 1, 1854. m3-tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

The Merced *HOTEL*

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

OUR TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door, from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant locations between Mariposa and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

my20-3m O. SCHROEDER & CO.

"Let Her Rip!" LUMBER $20 *Per* 1,000 *Feet!*

AT THE
BEAR CREEK STEAM MILL,

Four and one-half miles from Mariposa, and a good Road.

100,000 Feet

On hand, which is

WELL SEASONED!!

Roll in your bills boys. We say in the language of the immortal Shakspeare—

"LET HER RIP!"

Mariposa, May 23, 1854.
my26-tf CLARK, LAMON & CO.

For Sale OR R E N T,

THE WILD GOOSE RANCH,

WELL known to the traveling community as the place for

GOOD MEALS, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

The location of this Ranch is three and a half miles from Mariposa, on the Stockton Road, offering all the facilities necessary for a family or Dairyman.

For further particulars inquire of the proprietor, on the premises. Wild Goose Ranch, May 25th, 1854.
my26-3t WILLIAM PINCHBECK.

$600 REWARD!

WILL be paid for the apprehension and safe return to the Sheriff of this County, of

THOMAS H. COWIN,

who broke Jail on the night of May 19th, 1854, and who is a man about 26 or 28 years of age, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches in height, rather stout built, sandy complexion, and somewhat freckled in the face, with light colored hair and eyes, very heavy sandy beard when long, and rather a large full face and head; when in conversation he is quite intelligent, but very iritable and violent when opposed in his opinions.

—ALSO—

LEWIS WILEY,

a negro, who broke Jail at the same time, and is supposed to be about 30 years of age, of light mulatto color, with a long, sharp face. When he left he had whiskers, and is about 6 feet in height, somewhat slow spoken—no peculiarities or marks about him remembered.

Four Hundred Dollars will be paid for the arrest of Cowan, and Two Hundred Dollars for the arrest of Wiley.

Mariposa, May 20th, 1854. JOHN BOLING,
my26-tf Sheriff of Mariposa County.

D. Turner & Co.,

HAVING bought the stock and stand of HOLMES & CO.,

Offer for sale at the aforesaid place, a large stock of most descriptions of

Goods,

suitable to the wants of the community.

C A S H!

will be an important consideration in every sale, for which we will sell as low as the lowest.

Mariposa, May 17, 1854.
my19-tf D. TURNER & CO.

Grass

FOR SALE, now on the ground of a surveyed and improved quarter section of land, situated on a good wagon road, and only eight miles from Mariposa or Agua Frio. Estimated to cut from seventy-five to one hundred tons. Enquire at Mariposita, of

my19-3t* THOS. SHEPHERD.

Zinc Store.

HUGH DIMOND, of New York. PATRICK HUSSY, of Texas. CHAS. F. M'DERMOTT, Cincinnati.

DIMOND & CO.,

WHOLESALE and retail dealers in every variety of Goods suitable for the mining region.

Miners and others will please give us a call and examine our goods themselves before purchasing elsewhere, as we will sell at the lowest market prices. my5-tf

Phillips Hotel,

Main Street, Mariposa.

Re-Opened.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Proprietor.

THIS WELL KNOWN, convenient and commodious HOTEL, has been entirely re-modled and re-fitted, by the proprietor; and he would take this occasion to inform his former patrons and the public generally, that he is now ready to furnish them with the

BEST OF ACCOMMODATIONS.

On the most reasonable terms.

m24-tf WM. PHILLIPS, Proprietor.

CLEMENT S. SIMPSON. GEORGE IRETON.

SIMPSON & IRETON,

"Whisky Flat," Sherlock's Creek, Sign of the "Ground Hog,"

KEEP constantly on hand a large stock of general Merchandise and Groceries, selected with great care in the San Francisco market, and well adapted to the wants of Miners and the community generally.

They respectfully request their friends and the public generally, to call on them at their store, "Whisky Flat," on Sherlock's Creek, where they can be accommodated at low prices.

We are determined to use our best efforts to afford good articles cheap for cash. feb24-3m

WALLACE'S
GARDEN RANCH,
AND
GENERAL PROVISION STORE,
MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.

In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.

Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.

feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

H. W. SCHMIDT,

WOULD respectfully recommend those fond of choice Literature and good Liquors, to call at his Saloon on Main street, Agua Frio. feb10-3m

Stockton Advertisements.

TO THE TRADERS OF THE SOUTHERN MINES.

☞It is a fact much to be lamented, that the City of Stockton, through the want of enterprise by her mercantile community, has lost, for the past two years, the greater portion of the best trade of the Southern Mines. We propose to remedy this evil.

We ask you, why do you not buy your Goods in Stockton, and patronize our City? You reply at once that prices of merchandise, in Stockton, are held at 10, 15, and 25 per cent. above the jobbing prices in San Francisco. Heretofore, we must admit this to be the fact, but must CONTINUE SO NO LONGER. Stockton must assume the position nature designed for her—per centage must be reduced—inducements MUST be held out to heavy buyers, who pass through to San Francisco and make their purchases for cash. The fact is, goods must be furnished in Stockton at *San Francisco Jobbing prices, with Freight added.* We propose to furnish goods at these rates. We *can* and *will* do it. Our facilities for purchasing in large lots warrant us in advertising to this effect, and we call upon the Merchants and Traders at Mariposa and the surrounding country to give us a trial and satisfy themselves whether or not we will prove our assertions correct.

Mariposa is a large town, a great amount of business is transacted in and about it, shrewd business men are engaged in its trade, competition is strong, and goods must be bought at the lowest rates for your market. All this we are fully aware of, and it is far from our intention to humbug or deceive in our efforts to secure your patronage to our city.

It is certainly more convenient for you to purchase your goods in Stockton, if the rates will justify. The loss of your patronage to San Francisco will be nothing—the gain for Stockton will be immense.

Call and satisfy yourselves.

☞*Terms same as those of the Jobbers in San Francisco.*

All goods warranted to be perfect.

Orders promptly attended to and goods shipped at the lowest rates of freight.

Orders for any amount filled and shipped immediately.

WEBSTER & BARSTOW,
Theatre Building, corner of Main and El Dorado sts.,
my5-tf Stockton.

WEBSTER & BARSTOW,

(SUCCESSORS TO MAY & WEBSTER.)

THEATRE BUILDING, STOCKTON.

WOULD respectfully invite the Merchants of Mariposa and surrounding country, to call at the *"San Francisco Store," and "Head-Quarters for the Southern Mines,"*

and purchase goods at San Francisco jobbing prices, with freight added.
my5-tf

WEBSTER & BARSTOW

HAVE on hand a large and well selected stock of goods

BOUGHT BEFORE THE LATE ADVANCE IN PRICES,

which they offer at rates to warrant Merchants in the Mines to purchase their goods in Stockton.

Call and examine for yourselves.

100 BBLS "Suffolk Mill" FLOUR, in 50 lb tins—a superior article.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

75 BBLS Superfine Gallego and Haxall FLOUR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

25,000 LBS Extra Clear, Clear, and Mess BACON, in tierces and small cases.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STOIRE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

20,000 LBS No. 1 HAMS, in dry salt, in brine, and Patent Covers.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

275 BOXES Adamantine, French, and Sperm CANDLES.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

200 PACKAGES LIQUORS, including every quality and description.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

20,000 LBS No. 1 China SUGAR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

50 BBLS Crushed SUGAR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

HOLLAND GIN—by the cask.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

COD FISH—by the drum or box.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE,"
my5-tf Theatre Building, Stockton.

FOR SALE, at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE—
1000 qr sacks Superfine Chili Flour;
200 sacks Potatoes;
500 sacks Barley;
75 sacks Pilot and Soda Bread;
175 bxs Chemical, Olive and brown Soap;
100 sacks new crop Chili Beans;
55 cases leaf Lard;
75 half bbls Crushed Sugar;
45 cases half gherkin Pickles;
40 packages East Boston and Stewart's Syrup, in 5, 8, 10, and 20 gallon packages;
45 doz 2 lb Lobsters;
50 doz 2 lb Oysters;
50 half bbls and qr bbls Dried Apples;
30,000 Havana and American Regalia Cigars;
100 doz Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powders;
100 doz 3 hoop Buckets;
150 doz Ames', Rodger's, Rowland & Hunt's bright cast steel long-handled Shovels;
25 bbls best Carolina Rice;
100 mats No. 1 China Rice;
100 casks Ale and Porter (Tennent's;)
50 bbls mess and clear Pork, in whole and half bbls;
25 cases assorted Pie Fruit. my5-tf

FOR SALE, at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," a complete stock of

GOODS SUITABLE FOR THE MINES,

consisting in part of

Pickles in kegs, Cranberries, Preserved Peaches;
Fresh Peaches in glass, Peppermint, bitters;
Starch, Olive Oil, Nutmeg, Cloves, Cinnamon;
Allspice, Pepper in grain, Allspice in grain,
Ground Spices of all kinds, Lead, Shot, Caps;
Salt in 5 lb bags, Salt in boxes, Drilling;
Duck of all numbers, Buckwheat in tins;
No. 1 Mackerel, Pick Helves, Axe Helves;
Ink, Pens, Letter Paper, Envelopes, Wrapping Paper;
Collins & Simpson's Picks.

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF CLOTHING.

Satinett Pants, Under Shirts, Drawers, Overalls;
Grey Over Shirts, Socks, woolen and cotton;
&c., &c. my5-tf

Magnolia House,

CHANNEL STREET, STOCKTON.

J. C. MORRIS, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fitting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.

The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.

TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

T. ROBINSON BOURS. B. WALKER BOURS

T. ROBINSON BOURS & CO.,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND BANKERS,

Fire-Proof Building, Centre street, Stockton.

AGENTS OF BURGOYNE & CO., SAN FRANCISCO.

EXCHANGE for sale for every steamer, at San Francisco rates, on

Baring, Brothers & Co.	London.
Hottinguer & Co.,	Paris.
Beebee & Co.	New York.
John E. Thayer & Co.	Boston.
L. A. Benoist & Co.	St. Louis.
Exchange Bank of Horace Bean & Co.	N. Orleans.

—ALSO—

Sight drafts on

Burgoyne & Co.	San Francisco.
Yauez & Bertine.	Sonora.
Read & Co.,	Sacramento.
Geo. W. Plume & Co.	Marysville.

Gold Dust and Coin received on general or special deposite.

Highest price paid for Gold Dust. j27-tf

WEBER HOUSE,

Corner of Main and Centre streets, Stockton,

UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF W. W. WARNER.

THE Proprietors of this new and spacious Hotel, have the pleasure in announcing to the public that they are now prepared to accommodate all who may favor them with their patronage.

The Weber House is the largest Hotel in Stockton, and being situated in the most pleasant and healthy portion of the city, as well as the centre of business, offers inducements to the resident or traveller seeking a home, that can be found in no other establishment in the Southern Mines.

The several apartments attached to this house, are furnished in a style unsurpassed by any establishment of the kind in the country.

The Table will be supplied with every variety of the season, and all the substantials the market affords, and the Bar with the choicest Wines and Liquors. In short, the Proprietors beg leave to assure the public that no effort shall be wanting on their part to make the Weber House in every respect the most comfortable house in Stockton, and fully adequate in all things to the wants of their patrons. j27-tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

New SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, AT A. BLUMENTHAL'S

General Clothing and Dry Goods Store,

OPPOSITE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, MARIPOSA,

HAVING just returned from San Francisco with a large and splendid assortment of

GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

I would respectfully invite the citizens of Mariposa county to call and supply themselves with the

LATEST STYLES AND THE BEST QUALITIES

of articles ever offered for sale in this part of the country. a28-tf

Lumber BY THE MILLION!! *PIONEER SAW MILL!* A No. 1.

THE undersigned would announce to their friends and the public generally, that their

NEW STEAM SAW MILL,

At Millville, near the head of Sherlock's Creek

is now in operation, and they are ready to accommodate all who will favor them with a call, or order, for any description of

THE BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER;

and if they do not saw as *smooth*, as fast, and sell as *low* as any other mill in this county, they will forfeit the cost of a visit to their mill. Millville, April 28th, 1854.

D. WHITE & CO.,
G. GREEN, Agent.

P. S. All kinds of Stock, Hay, Barley, and Potatoes, &c., &c., taken in exchange for Lumber.

D. W. & CO., G. G., Ag't.

N. B. This mill is two miles nearer the stage road than any other mill in the lumber regions in this county. a28-4t

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office, on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-y6*

United States' Restaurant AND Billiard Saloon.

MONS. AUGUSTE THIEFFRY, Proprietor of the above named RESTAURANT, has recently re-furnished his house in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the Public, and as heretofore, will be ready to wait upon all who may favor him with a call.

Board per week $9 00, without wine.
" " " $12 00, with wine. ap21-tf

Soda Water MANUFACTORY,

Main Street, Mariposa.

KRAFFT, HOWELL & HICF, PROPRIETORS, Would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now in active operation, and are prepared to supply all demands for their celebrated SODA WATER or "POP."—Thankful for past favors, they hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon them. ap21.

A. W. Jee's *STORE,*

Morman Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has constantly on hand a well selected supply of

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS,
AND MINING TOOLS.

Also all other descriptions of GOODS adapted for the Miner, all of the best quality—for sale at the lowest prices, and would most respectfully ask a continuance of his friend's favors, and solicits a call from the public.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
Morman Bar, Mariposa. ap21-6m

LONE STAR Restaurant.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPDNED A BAR AND BOARDING HOUSE, AT

Morman Bar,

Where he will be happy to furnish his customers with the best Liquors and Table to be found in that section.

☞Boarders at this House are furnished with GOOD BEDS—not turned out of doors to sleep.

ap21-2m JAMES DUFF & CO.

ROBERT SACHS,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,

HAVING permanently located himself in the town of Mariposa, respectfully informs the public generally, that he is prepared to make all kinds of

Rich Jewelry and Specimen Work,

to order;

Repair and Clean Watches, Melt and Refine Gold, &c.,

On reasonable terms, at his establishment next door to the FRENCH DOCTOR'S,

CHARLES STREET, MARIPOSA.

☞"Sign of the "BIG WATCH!"

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.
a7-tf

N. COHN & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS,

KEEP constantly on hand a full assortment of the following articles:

Genuine Havana Cigars, various brands,
do American do do do;
Chewing, Fine Cut and Smoking Tocacco;
Hardware, Carpenters' Tools;
Window Glass, White Lead, Oil, Putty, Brushes;
Books, Stationery, &c.;
Cutlery, Clocks, Colt's Pistols, &c.;
Saddlery, Lamp Oil and Candles;
Wall, Foolscap, Letter and Fancy Paper;
American, Mexican and Barcelona Cards;
Looking Glasses, Violins, Flutes, Garden Seeds.

—ALSO—

An endless variety of Fancy Goods, Perfumery, etc., etc. In fact, every thing usually found in a variety store.

GRIESMAN & CO.,
88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.
N. COHN & CO.,
j20-1y Main street, Mariposia.

Old Mormon Bar RESTAURANT.

THE PROPRIETOR of the above old and well-known establishment, begs leave to inform the public that he is now prepared to supply boarders, and all others who may favor him with a call, with the best accommodations ever before offered in the vicinity.

His Table will always be supplied with the very best the

MARKET AFFORDS;

And his Bar with the Choicest Liquors in California.

Connected with the Restaurant is a

BAKERY,

from which boarders, &c., will be supplied with all sorts of Bread, Cakes, and Pies.

All sorts of COOLING DRINKS constantly on hand.

Meals at all hours.

Furnished Bed-Rooms for the accommodation of boarders, and the traveling public generally. April 18th, 1854
a28-3t JOSEPH BROWN.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—PIONEER DIVISION No. 19, S. of T. meets every Friday at 7 o'clock, P. M. at Masonic Hall

Officers of the Division—Dorsey Ramsden, W. P.; Geo. B. Dunton, W. A.; R. H. Daly, R. S.; Wm. Starke, A. R. S.; M. H. Almond, F. S., H. B. Carman, T.; W. M. Gann, C.; C. G. Lind, A. C.; N. P. Whitney, I. S.; John Rieley, O. s14-tf

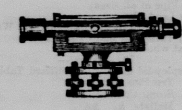
San Francisco Advertisements.

Joseph M. Brown & Co.,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF HARDWARE, Metals and Mining Tools of every description, No. 81 California street, Empire Block, San Francisco.

☞Country Merchants will find at our store the most complete stock of the above Goods in this State, and on the most reasonable terms. m10-3m

2,000 MATS CHINA RICE—
100 bxs and ½ bxs Adamantine Candles;
250 bxs French Bougies; 100 do Spm Candles;
500 kegs East Boston Syrup;
100 cases Salt, 20 lb kegs;
50 cases Salt, in boxes;
20 cases Grape Tobacco;
100 gross Smoking Tobacco;
200 plgs Imperial Tea, 1 lb caddies;
150 cases Assorted Spices;
150 boxes Young Hyson, ½ lb papers;
1000 boxes Hill & Colgate's Soap;
250 boxes C. O. Soap;
1000 tins Assorted Crackers;
200 cases ½ gallon Brandy Peaches;
150 boxes Starch;
For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
ap21-1m 62 California st., San Francisco.



Thos. Tennent's

SURVERING AND NAVIGATION WAREHOUSE,

Sign of the Wooden Sailor,

FIRE PROOF BLOCK,
Corner of Long Wharf and Front streets,
San Francisco.

Chronometers carefully rated by Transit Observations.

U. S. Agency for the sale of Government Charts of this coast. All these Charts will be sold as heretofore,

At Government Prices.

Surveying and Nautical Instruments, of the best manufacture always on hand.

Repairing executed in a workmanlke manner.

Charts of the latest and most correct surveys, comprising a large assortment of the North and South Pacific Indian Ocean, Horsburg's China Seas, Eastern Passages, Straits of Malacca, Sunda, etc., with rivers and harbors.

Stationery, Pocket Spy Glasses;
Compound Microscopes, Sterioscopes;
Drawing Instruments, Spectacles;
Magnets, Drawing and Tracing Paper;
Hydrometers for Liquors, Salts;
Syrups, Acids, Milk, &c.
Pocket Compasses, Thermometers, &c., with a great variety of other Instrumen s in the same line.

Being a practical workman, (having learned my business in the manufactory of the celebrated Wm. J. Young, of Philadelphia,) all work entrusted to me will be properly done. j19-3m

A. C. MESSERVE & CO.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

IN Upholstery Goods, Paper hangings, Carpets, &c., Fire Proof Store, No. 128 Clay street, above San..., San Francisco. feb1e..1

PURE GROUND COFFEE AND *SPICE,* AT BOVEE & CO.'S CELEBRATED Steam Mills,

BROADWAY, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE INCREASED DEMAND FOR BOVEE & CO.'S Ground Coffee and Spices, has induced the proprietors to enlarge their facilities and renew their exertions.

To all those who have heretofore used their Coffee, they would assure them that they are determined to spare no pains to furnish the p..p..p. to a truly PURE and Genuine article of

Ground Coffee.

They have recently erected Machinery, by which the smoke is driven from the Coffee the instant it is taken from the fire, thereby retaining to its clear and genuine flavor, an operation which has only recently been introduced in the manufactory of Coffee, and never before in this country. Our Coffee is put up in desirable packages, and bears in name and lable. It can be procured at all the wholesale stores throughout the State.

W. H. BOVEE & CO.,
Mills, Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts.

N. B.—All Coffee and Spices manufactured at our mills and bearing our names, may be returned and all expenses refunded, if it does not prove to be as represented.

ap7-tf W. H. B & CO.

$50,000 WORTH OF FURNITURE!

NOW OPENING AT HOWES & CO.,

180 *Montgomery street, San Francisco,*

BEING that large and desirable stock of Furniture shipped to Nesbitt, Silver & Co., of this city, which we have purchased of the original shippers at

50 PER CENT LESS THAN COST.

Consequently we are now prepared to offer at wholesale or retail, to dealers, families, Hotel keepers, and others, our immense stock, at the lowest rates for cash. The above stock comprises in part the following articles:

Parlor Sets, Wardrobes;
Secretaries, Tables;
Chairs, Rockers;
200 Sofas, 200 Bureaus;
50 Chamber Sets;
Mattrasses, Feathers, Bedsteads;
Office Chairs, Office Desks;
Settees, Mirrors, &c., &c.

Our friends in Mariposa can rely upon finding at our warehouse every description of articles in the Furniture line, at prices which we guarantee shall be as low, for the same quality of goods, as at any other establishment in the city.

HOWES & CO.,

Remember the Number—
feb3-tf 180 Montgomery street.

Duncan's Famous Chinese Salesroom,

No. 112 Sacramento street, (extending through to Long Wharf,) San Francisco.

STEAMER SALES OF HOME PRESENTS! NEW AND RICH STYLES OF CANTON CRAPE SHAWLS!

Japanese Goods, inlaid with Pearl, from the Empire of Japan, comprising every variety of beautiful and elaborate Curiosities, suitable for gifts.

RARE EMBROIDERIES, ELEGANT SILK AND SATIN GOODS,

with other articles endless in variety, and of the rarest and most beautiful description.

SALES—every day of each week, immediately preceeding the departure of the Panama and San Juan steamers. feb3-tf

EL DORADO RESTAURANT, AND COFFEE SALOON,

On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets.

The proprietors, grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, would respectfully say to persons wishing a single meal, or board by the week, that they cannot do better than to give them a call, and try some of their

Hot Coffee;
Hot Tea;
Hot Chocolate;
Hot Biscuit;
Beef Steak;
Pork Steak;
Mutton;
Venison Steak and Apple Sauce;
Fried Ham and Eggs.

Soups and Stews of all descriptions, and all kinds of Game constantly on hand.

All kinds of Cakes made on the shortest possible notice.

For the benefit of the public they will keep their house open until one o'clock in the morning.

Board per week $12; Single Meals $1; Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance.

j19-tf AUGUSTE PUJOL.

San Francisco Advertisements.

A. B. M'NEIL. C. BOLLMEYER.

McNEIL & BOLLMEYER,

Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Liquors, &c., &c., &c.,

No. 58 Front street, between Sacramento and California, feb10-tf San Francisco.

Silks, New Styles.

Taaffe, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER SIERRA NEVADA,

A select Invoice of

FASHIONABLE SILKS; SUCH AS

Colored Check Silks, New Styles; Black Brocade Silks, Plain Changeable Silks,

And an assortment of

BLACK SILKS, ALL QUALITIES AND WIDTHS.

—ALSO—

An Invoice of

BLACK AND COLORED SEWING SILK

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m10-4t Front st., corner Sacramento.

Wholesale DRY GOODS.

Taaffee, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVING MADE EXTENSIVE ARRANGEMENTS for receiving a large and well selected assortment of

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

Direct from New York, by every Clipper,

As well as by

EXPRESS, VIA THE ISTHMUS,

And having just received a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of every kind of Goods adapted to the wants of the market, are able to offer superior inducements to the

CITY AND COUNTRY TRADE.

We would also invite the attention of purchasers for the OREGON and SANDWICH ISLAND MARKETS, to our Stock, believing that we can supply them with articles in our line, suited to their trade, on terms quite as reasonable as any House on the Pacific Coast.

HOTEL KEEPERS AND STEAMBOAT OWNERS

will find every article suited to their wants in our Stock and at reduced prices.

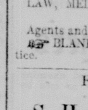
TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-tf Front, corner Sacramento st.

M. B. COOKE. G. L. KENNY. GEO. STURTEVANT

WHOLESALE BOOK STORE,
AND
STATIONERS' HALL.

COOKE, KENNY & CO.,

Corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco.



Importers of English, French and American Fancy and Staple

STATIONERY.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

LAW, MEDICAL, MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL AND BLANK BOOKS.

Agents and Dealers in MAGAZINES and REVIEWS.

☞BLANK BOOKS made to order on the shortest notice. feb10-tf

FRUIT TREES, VINES, AND SHRUBBERY.

CITIZENS OF CALIFORNIA—Having seen the great attraction of the Horticultural Fair and the splendid Oregon Apples, sold in San Francisco for one and two dollars a piece, you know that Oregon Fruit and Fruit Trees are

NO HUMBUG.

Many of the Trees and Vines that we sold last winter have *Produced* fruit this season, and all have given satisfaction, for the truth of which we refer to our patrons: Rev. O. C. Wheeler, Rev. Isaac Owen, Hon. J... ..., Gen. J. A. Sutter, Maj. W. J. Jacks, Napa City; Hon. C. S. Hester, O. D. Crosby, W. W. Stevens, L. L. Beard, and S. Franklin, San Jose Valley; Messrs. Johnston & McCabe, B. R. Buckelew, Mr. Weaver, of Stockton, and J. W. Robinson, of San Diego.

Farmers, Gardners and Ranche Owners, are your wants in readiness? The earlier you plant the better. It affords us pleasure to inform you that we will open in about ten days, in the basement of the Commercial Advertiser Building, on Montgomery street, between Clay and Washington, the finest lot of choice Fruit Trees, of every variety and kind ever offered in this market, as also Vines, Plants and Shrubs, both useful and ornamental, of every variety, a full assortment of which will be kept complete by semi-monthly arrivals from Oregon up to April 1854. Our prices will be reasonable, and all that we offer to the public will be warranted alive and true to the label.

Also, all kinds of Garden Seeds for sale.

We will also warrant that our Trees can be carried to any part of this Coast, or to any of the Islands with success.

Orders solicited, to which prompt attention will be given. Purchasers will please call and examine at the above place. San Francisco, Dec. 13, 1853.

feb3-tf A. H. & A. MYRES

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
San Francisco,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER CLIPPER SHIP

EAGLE,

A splendid assortment of very DESIRABLE

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

Comprising almost EVERY ARTICLE in the Dry Goods line, which they offer at unusual LOW PRICES, and to which they invite the attention of the CITY and COUNTRY TRADE.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-1m Front street, corner Sacramento.

FOR SALE BY COIT & BEALS,

SAN FRANCISCO.

STATUARY MANTELS—EX ONWARD.—3 splendid Statuary Marble Mantels;
7 Veined Italian Marble Mantels;
100 Choice Philadelphia made Mantels.

The above Beautifully Carved, and of Elaborate Finish. Samples now on exhibition at our office.

Table Tops, Italian Marble Counter Tops.

Just received—Ex Onward.

Tomb Stones, in great variety, made and carved to order.

We have the best workmen in the United States

ITALIAN MARBLE.

GRANITE AND FREESTONE WAREHOUSE,
No. 94 Battery street.

Obelisks, Monuments, Headstones;
Imposing Stones, Table Tops, Centre Tables.

The largest and best assortment in the city.

Italian Marble Mantels, of various patterns;
Richly carved Statuary Marble Mantels.

All kinds of lettering done to order.

Quincy Granite, Connecticut Freestone;
Some choice patterns of moulded Architectural Lintels, Red Freestone, &c.

We are constantly in receipt of fresh supplies of Mantels and Grates, together with building fronts, &c., by clippers from New York, and we are at all times prepared to execute jobs of work on the most reasonable terms. COIT & BEALS,

feb3-1m1s Sign of the Marble Obelisk,
94 Battery street, corner Clay.

J. H. COGHILL & CO.,

HAVE Removed to the New and commodious Brick Store,

137 *Front street, one door north of Jackson, San Francisco,*

where they offer at the lowest market rates, their large and fresh stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

feb3-1m

L. MILLS, of San Francisco. JAS. VANTINE, formerly of Knight's Ferry.

Mills & Vantine.

IMPORTERS and dealers in WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS, and Agents for Mill's Celebrated Wine Bitters, 64 Front street, (corner of Sacramento street,) San Francisco. m3-tf

H. Carrison,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN *FURNITURE AND BEDDING.*

No. 143 Sacramento street, cor. of Webb, San Francisco. M. C. will pay strict attention to Furnishing Steamships, River Boats and Hotels. m10-3m

J. B. WIER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER,

IN

BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, HAMS, PORK, &c., &c., 48 Front street, near California, San Francisco. feb3-tf

GEORGE M. GARDNER,

(*Successor to Daniel C. McGlynn,*)

WHOLESALE DEALER IN

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, &c.

No. 117 Washington street, next door to the corner of ... San Francisco Wharfage.

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ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3,
Office in Mariposa.

ALISON & HARRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

RICHARD H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.
Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

E. BURKE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

O. M. B. CKINSON,
COUNTY SURVEYOR:
Office, on Main street, Mariposa.

G. S. McMurtrie,
DENTIST,
OFFICE—At the Franklin House, Main Street, Mariposa. m10-tf

For Sale or Rent,

THE ADOBE DWELLING HOUSE, one door above Adams & Co.'s Banking Office, on Main street, Mariposa. Apply to SAMUEL A. MERRITT, m17-tf Mariposa.

GUNSMITHING.
RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,



Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.

Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.
j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN.

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,
Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the

Atlantic States,

to receive their Goods direct from

New York and Boston.

They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.

Wholesale Buyers

are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from

Stockton and San Francisco.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

Coultersville,
On Maxwell's Creek.

m17-tf

FRANKLIN HOUSE,
STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL
AND
BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved.
Boarding by the week on the most reasonable terms.
Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choisest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, and will be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice. Saddle horses to let. m24-tf

New Drug Store
IN
MARIPOSA.
A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of
Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts;
Thompsonian Medicines;
and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. j27-tf

Scott & Bayless,
Main Street, Mariposa.

KEEP constantly on hand, and for sale, a large and varied assortment of
GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, LIQUORS, MINING IMPLEMENTS,
And every article usually found in a general store in the Mines, and will sell as cheap as can be found in this section of the country, without any exceptions.
Also, in store, a large lot of
OATS, BARLEY, HAY, &C., &C,
In connection with the above business, we have on hand a superior lot of

Harness Saddles, Collars, Whips, &c.

which are manufactured out of the very best of materials, and by good practical workmen, under our own supervision. Our work is ALL WARRANTED, and will be sold at the lowest Stockton prices. Call and examine our stock before making your purchases elsewhere.
m10-3m SCOTT & BAYLISS.

DEAN & O'DONNELL,
CHRONILCE BUILDING,
Main Street, Mariposa.

THE undersigned have opened, in the Store formerly occupied by Messrs. McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, with a large and well selected assortment of

GOODS,

Which we will sell at the lowest prices for CASH.
☞ Miners and others purchasing, will do well to give us a call. DEAN & O'DONNELL.

Notice.

HAVING closed up our business, and disposed of our house and stand to Messrs. DEAN & O'DONNELL, we cordially recommend them to our former customers, as also to the public generally. Mr. CRIPPEN will still remain at the *old* stand to close up the *old* business.
J. F. McNAMARA.
ap14-tf JOSH. CRIPPEN.

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COLE & NAGLE,

AGENTS FOR
VALPARAISO,
GUAYMAS,
PANAMA AND
AUSTRALIA
LINES OF PACKETS.
These lines are composed of first class
CLIPPER SHIPS,

Affording superior accommodations to passengers, and invariably supplied with abundant provisions of the very best quality. Departures for the above named ports punctually every two weeks.
For information regarding voyages, price of passage, &c., apply by letter or otherwise, to
COLE & NAGLE,
m10-tf Cor. Pacific and Front sts., San Francisco.

RECEIVED Per Recent Arrivals—
A large assortment of Cooking Stoves;
Parlor Grates, of various patterns and sizes;
500 kegs cut Nails;
Leather, Hemp, and Gutta Percha Hose;
Douglass & Farnum's brass Force Pumps;
Common lifting Pumps,
Lead Pipe of all sizes;
Sheet Lead, &c.;
Britannia, bright and Japaned Tin Ware;
Every variety of plain Tin Ware.
sale at wholesale or retail.
—ALSO—
Two splendid marble top Billiard Tables, complete
Ten Pins and Balls;
Stone Cutters;
Mallets, &c., &c
G. & W. SNOOK,
j19-tf 141 Washington street.

QUARTZ ROCK JEWELRY.

BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST, engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.

They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at BARRETT & SHERWOOD'S
Montgomery street, one door from Commercial street, San Francisco.

N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

MINERS' EXCHANGE
AND
Saving Bank.
ARMORY HALL, CORNER OF MONTGOMERY AND SACRAMENTO STS., SAN FRANCISCO.
DR. A. S. WRIGHT.

DEPOT for the reception of GOLD DUST for the United States Mint at San Francisco.

The Miner is hereby informed that the Mint will be in full operation in a very short time, and Dr. W. is now fully prepared to receive and receipt for all remittances made for coinage. Dr. W. will, when required, make liberal advances and remittances of Gold Dust, at 1¼ per cent. per month interest; and will also allow the same rate of interest when the funds remain over the time required for coinage.
m3-3m A. S. WRIGHT.

SAMUEL H. PRICHARD,

WOULD respectfully offer his services to the Merchants in the Mimes, as
COMMISSION BUYER OF GOODS,
In San Francisco, Office Corner of Sacramento and Battery streets.

All orders sent with the money necessary to pay for them, promptly filled at the lowest prices they can be bought, and the lowest rates of commission.

The Goods will be forwarded by an Agent in Stockton to any part of the Southern Mines.

For business qualifications he is permitted to give the following

REFERENCES:
Dr. Woodward, Agua Frio; Pool & Co., Quartzburg; George Branch, Strentzel's Ferry; E. C. Bell, County Clerk, Mariposa. feb17-tf*

G. M. HUTTON,
ALTA FOUNDRY,
Market street, facing Battery street, San Francisco.

SASH, Mulay and Circular Saw Mill and Grist Mill Irons, Horse Powers, Threshing Machines. Quartz Crushing and Mining Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings of every description, and Machine work in general, promptly executed at the lowest current rates. feb10-tf

DISEASES
OF THE
EYES AND RHEUMATISM.

DR. DILL, (from St. Louis. Mo., M. D., member of the Parisian and German Medical Societies,) having visited the principal Schools and Hospitals of Europe, expressly to study under the most celebrated Oculists on the continent, as Sichel of Paris, Iuengken of Berlin, and others, that most difficult and delicate branch of our profession—

DISEASES OF THE EYE—

takes pleasure in informing the public that he has permanently located himself at San Francisco, where he will treat any case that may present itself; and patients need no longer go to the States to be treated for bad cases.

DR. DILL speaks English, German, French, Spanish, &c.
Office—corner of Davis and Jackson streets.
Letters addressed "P. R. DILL, M. D., San Francisco," promptly answered.
DR. DILL cures the worst cases of Rheumatism by the new treatment, in two weeks or makes no charge.
☞The poor attended gratis. feb17-6m

THOMAS LAMBERT. CHARLES POTTER.
THOMAS LAMBERT & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
Washington street, between Battery and Sansome, San Francisco.

ALWAYS on hand a full assortment of
HARDWARE, GLASS-WARE;
PROVISIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES,
and GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
selected expressly for the California market, on the most reasonable terms. feb3-tf

War in Europe!
BUT PEACE AND PLENTY HERE!

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE RAILROAD BAKERY AND COFFEE SALOON, 48 *Commercial street, San Francisco*, between Battery and Front, return thanks to a generous public for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them for the past twelve months, have for the purpose of better accommodating the public, and somewhat relieving the Commercial street side from its continual and overflowing crowds, arranged and fitted up their brick building (directly in the rear,) No. 87 Clay street, with much care, taste and expense, for a Breakfast, Lunch and Supper Room, and the same will be opened to the puvlic on Monday the 13th March, 1854, where every article will be manufactured on the premises, from the very best material, with the utmost care, taste and cleanliness—every branch of the business being under the immediate supervision of experienced and thorough workmen. We being our own Landlords, and manufacturers of our own articles, in all their branches, as well as our own dairymen, give us facilities over all other like establishments. There will be no connection between the Clay and Commercial street sides until we erect our new building on Commercial street the coming season, only so far as the whole is under one general supervision.
m17-tf HALEY & THOMPSON.

J. W. HAYNES. J. H. BOSWORTH.
HAYNES & BOSWORTH,
Shipping and Commission Merchants, Importers and Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, &c., &c.,
101 Front street, near Washington, San Francisco.
feb3-tf

GLORIOUS NEWS
For the Toiling Million!!!
"WINN"
AGAIN AT THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD,"

WITH A DETERMINATION to make it what it was previous to his leaving it
THE PATTERN RESTAURANT OF CALIFORNIA;
And we now call upon the public in general and our friends in particular, to sustain us in our efforts to keep the price of GOOD BOARD in San Francisco, where we have ever kept it, within the reach of the toiling mechanic and laborer, as well as the millionaire; and in conclusion, we ask the public to remember the course pursued by Restaurants throughout the city the moment we had retired from the field. Do you recollect how suddenly the old Bills of Fare were removed from the tables and new ones placed thereon, with prices about double? and all because WINN was not about to regulate the matter. Don't forget the place and number where you are properly cared for in price and quality—
"WINN'S FOUNTAIN HEAD,"
78 and 80 Long Wharf, and 109 and 111 Clay street,
Between Sansome and Battery streets.
☞ More hereafter. M. L. WINN,
ap7-tf Proprietor Fountain Head and Branch.

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NORCROSS'
MILITARY REGALIA,
Flag, Banner, and Ladies Dress Trimming
EMPORIUM.
SAN FRANCISCO.

MASONIC, ODD FELLOWS', CHAPTER, ENCAMPMENT, and other REGALIA embroidered and made to orter in a style that cannot be surpassed by any house in the Atlantic States. Full sets for Lodges and private members constantly on hand. Jewels for Templars, Chapters, Blue Lodges, Odd Fellows' and Encampments.

MILITARY GOODS,

of every description imported, together with all kinds of Gold and Silver Embroidery done for Army and Navy Officers.

FLAGS, BANNERS, SIGNALS, BURGEES, &c., &c., made at short notice, and on reasonable terms. Ensigns of all sizes constantly on hand.

LADIES' DRESS AND OTHER TRIMMINGS,

in great variety. Gold and Silver Fringes, Laces, Gimps, Stars, Tassels, Rosettes, Theatrical Trimmings, &c., &c.
D. NORCROSS,
feb10-tf 148 Sacramento, above Montgomery.

WM. B. SAWYER. SILAS W. JOHNSON.
SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS
In Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Turpentine, Varnishes, Putty, Brushes, Gold Leaf, Bronse, Artist's colors and tools, &c., &c., &c.,
NOS. 103 AND 105 CLAY STREETS,
Between Sansome and Battery streets,
m3-3m San Francisco.

JOHN CHARLTON, JR.,
ENGRAVER ON WOOD, BRASS, STEEL AND COPPER.

SEALS for County Officers, Notaries and Societies, Express Stamps, Stencil Plates, Brands.

Wedding and Visiting Cards engraved in the neatest style, and at the shortest notice.
—ALSO—
A general assortment of Blank Books and Stationery, Miners' Envelopes and Lithographic Views of the Mines may be had at 140 Sacramento street, San Francisco.
feb10-tf

C. A. McNULTY,
Importer and Dealer in Hardware, Miners' Tools, Agricultural Implements, &c.,
No. 82 Battery street, San Francisco,

HAS in store, a large and general assortment, comprising in part—
STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, SAW-MILL IRONS, PLOWS.
HARDWARE—
O. Ames' long and short handled Shovels;
P. and R. do do do do;
King's do do do do;
Spades, Hoes, Axes, Picks;
Tacks, assorted sizes, Plumb Levels;
Bellows, vices, anvils, and irons;
Bench planes, augers, gimblets;
Squares, rules, saw-setts, trays;
Circular, mill, cross-cut, pit and hand saws;
Chisels, drawing knives, adzes;
Stocks and dies, auger bitts, trowels;
Cutlery, locks, bolts, screws, butts;
Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
Files, a full assortment;
Lead pipe, zinc, block tin, grindstones;
Sheet iron, cut and wrought nails,
Colt's revolvers, powder flasks, percussion caps;
Coffee mills, letter presses, scales;
Hollow-ware, wagon boxes;
Carpenters', Coopers', Blacksmiths' Tools, &c., &c.
BRITANNIA WARE—
Candlesticks, soup ladles, pitchers;
Coffee pots, castors, molasses cups;
Cigar lighters, spittoons, fluid lamps;
Dishes, stands and water pans;
Table and tea spoons, tea sets complete;
Chafing dishes, oblong tureens, &c., &c.
WOODEN WARE—
Tubs, pails, washboards, churns;
Cider and well buckets, trays;
Axe, pick, sledge, adze and hammer handles;
Knife boxes, beef mauls, rolling pins;
Wooden bowls, brushes, mops;
Oval trays, butter stamps, dippers;
Lemon squeezers, bench screws;
Seives, Manila cordage, &c., &c.
City and country dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock and prices.
For sale by C. A. McNULTY,
j19-tf 82 Battery street.

JAMES B. TOWNSEND,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,

HAS removed his office to 47 (third story,) Montgomery Block, (Halleck, Peachy & Billing's New Building,) corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets. j27-tf

W. L. CHRYSLER, & CO.,

PORK, Beef, and General Merchants, Fire Proof Store, corner of Front and Sacramento streets. j27-tf

150,000 Worth of Furniture,
BRYANT & KINGS
EMPIRE FURNITURE WAREROOMS,
180 Jackson street, San Francisco.

AT very low prices for cash, just received and now opened at the wholesale and retail trade, making by far the largest stock ever offered on the Pacific coast, and comprising every variety of rosewood, mahogany, walnut and other kinds of parlor, chamber and office Furniture, together with all kinds of Beds and Bedding.

The attention of dealers in particular is called, as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.

N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. j19

PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.—
Camphene and Turpentine, 2500 gallons now landing.
—ALSO—
Receiving, ex Whistler, Kate Hayes, Flying Dragon, Witch of the Wave, Fearless, Wizard, John Wade, Les Mers du Sud, &c., large additions to our stock of *Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass, Etc.,* making our assortment now as HERETOFORE, the largest and best selected stock in San Francisco.
Purchasers are invited to call on us, as we can offer at the lowest terms.
SAWYER, JOHNSON & HARVEY,
Wholesale Dealers,
105 and 107 Clay street,
j19-1m San Francisco.

PATCH & CLAYTON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL AGENTS,
(92 *Front street, in Gordon's Iron Block.*)

FAITHFUL attention given to sales of California Produce, and orders for merchandise promptly filled at lowest market rates.
WM. Y. PATCH. [j27-tf] CHARLES CLAYTON.

J. D. HUNT & CO.,
CORNER CLAY AND BATTERY STREETS,

OFFER for sale Eagle Plows of the best make, and every variety;
Steel Plows of Illinois patterns;
Gedde's Harrows, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, of most approved make,
Ox Yokes and Bows, Whiffletrees;
Thermometer and Rotary Churns;
Agricultural Furnaces, Cauldon Kettles, all sizes;
Galvanized Fence Wire. j29-tf

QUARTZ SPECIMENS POLISHED!
Seals, Rings, Covers, Heads, Snuff Box Cane &c.,
CUT AND SET, BY
BARRETT & SHERWOOD,
Montgomery street, 1 door from Commercial

THE only Lapidary Machinery in California, and the best workmen on the Pacific coast, are now employed in our establishment.
☞Don't mistake the number—161. j27-tf

The Golden Gate Hotel.

THIS hotel opens to-day for the reception of its guests. The above house is entirely new built and furnished with all new furniture, in the most modern style.

It is situated on the west side of Davis street, corner of Oregon, near Jackson, and within a few yards of the landing of the River and Ocean Steamers.

The house is capable of accommodating 175 persons, the rooms are all lighted and well ventilated; superior accommodations for families visiting the city.

No pains will be spared to make this new Hotel pleasant and agreeable to all who may favor it with their patronage.
W. G. THOMAS.
N. B. A splendid Barber's Saloon is attached to this Hotel, conducted by
j27tf J. V. THEOBALD.

SAN FRANCISCO HOTEL,
MRS. M. F. BALL, Proprietor,
Corner of Jackson and Front street, San Francisco.
Accommodations and fare equal to the best Hotels in California.
Charges moderate. feb3-tf

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PREMIUM PLOWS.

MESSRS. E. L. BEARD, WM. NEELY Thompson, and J. Bryant Hill, the Committee appointed to award a silver plate to the manufacturer of the best California-made plow on exhibition at the Agricultural Fair of Warren & Son, have awarded the plate to Messrs L E Morgan & Co. The plate is valued at $100. The following is the report of the Committee:

The undersigned having been appointed a committee to examine the several plows presented for exhibition and premiums at Warren & Son's State Fair, having attended to that duty, submit the following report:

The several plows offered for exhibition and premiums were as follows:

L E Morgan & Co—Steel Peoria Plows, viz:
Clipper No 6, a highly finished plow, with wheel and coulter, cutting 14-inch furrow; Clipper No 16, wheel and coulter, 16-inch furrow; Clipper No 18, wheel and coulter, 18 inch furrow; Clipper No 20, wheel and coulter, 20-inch furrow.

Peoria Plain or Prairie-land Plows:
No 5, fine steel and finished, cutting 10-inch furrow; No 5 1-2, same style and quality, cutting 12-inch furrow; No 6, same character, cutting 14-inch furrow; No 7, same, 16-inch furrow.

L E Morgan and Co exhibited in the Hall a most superb and highly finished clipper or prairie plow, cutting a 16-inch furrow, reflecting great credit upon the workmen in the several departments of their manufactory in the construction of their plows; also a most beautiful model, a miniature plow, that was exhibited upon the table in the Hall, and attracted much attention.

There were also cast plows from the celebrated manufactories of Ruggles, Nourse and Mason of Worcester, Mass, John Mayher and Co of New York, and others, consisting of deep-tillers, side-hill, sub-soil, centre-draft, etc, etc, but as these were not put in competition, the committee can only say that for cast iron plows, they hold their usual high rank.

The plows manufactured in this State being the only ones entitled to premiums, and this being the principal duty of the committee, they proceeeded to the examination.

A wrought steel plow from Stockton had been exhibited, but was withdrawn from competition.

The various steel plows from Messrs Morgan and Co, were such as to give pleasure in their examination, and the committee find them manufactured in the most satisfactory manner, and most creditable to the proprietors. From the abundant testimony before the committee, they are satisfied of their being the very best plows, and most thoroughly made, and plows that give greater satisfaction than any other steel plow in the country.

The committee, in view of the facts before them of the high merit and most excellent reputation of their real worth, award to L E Morgan and Co, the premium prize, a silver plate, valued at $100,

The committee hope that with another year, many new varieties of plows, adapted to all forms of culture, the side-hill, the sub-soil and deep-tiller, will be manufactured by our citizens, and thus retain at home the wealth of our State for the real benefit of our people.

E. L. BEARD,
WM. NEELY THOMPSON, } Committee.
J. BRYANT HILL.
j19-3m

G. M. HUTTON,
WOOD TURNING AND SCROLL SAWING,
At the Sawing and Planing Mill,

HARD Wood, House and Cabinet Turning. Orders executed with dispatch.
A variety of turned wood on hand. feb10-tf

HERMAN ERNST,
IMPORTER OF CIGARS,

AND Sole Agent in California for Messrs Partagas & Co. of Havana; Clay street, second door above Leidesdorff, San Francisco. j19-tf

FRANK BAKER,
Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Upholstery Goods and Paper Hangings,
135 and 137 Clay street, San Francisco,

HAS constantly on hand a large assortment of velvet tapestry, brussels, three-ply, ingrain and Venitian Carpets, druggets, matting, table and floor oil cloths, rugs, mats, etc, etc.

Also—Satins, silks, worsted, cotton, damask, lace and muslin curtains. Also, window shades of every description; gimps, cords, fringes, silk and worsted tassels, loops, gilt cornices and poles, curtain bands and pins, table covers, plush, etc.

Orders from a distance promptly attended to.
FRANK BAKER,
j19 135 and 137 Clay street.

W. T. GARRATT & CO.,
BRASS AND BELL FOUNDERS,
Halleck Street, near the American Theatre.

MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of copper work, brass, zinc, steamboat, tavern and hand BELLS and Gongs, fire engines, force and lift pumps, steam, liquor, soda, oil and water cocks, and valves of all descriptions, made and repaired; hose and other joints, spelter, copper rivets, &c; gas pipes and fixtures always on hand. j21-tf

RAILROAD BAKERY
AND COFFEE AND TEA ROOMS;
48 Long Wharf, between Battery and Front sts., San Francisco.

THE attention of our friends and others in Mariposa, is respectfully directed to the following:

It is a well known fact that the most cleanly and desirable way of cooking is BY STEAM, to whatever article it can be applied. Therefore, the proprietors of this estabiishment have just erected a

Steam Engine and Steam Apparatus,

whereby most of their artcles are manufactured and kept fresh and ALWAYS HOT. By the use of steam they prepare their Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate as required, which make them far superior in quality to any other like establishment in the city.

BREAKFAST ROLLS

Always hot and fresh till 12 M, and Tea Biscuit from 12 M, to 11 P M. Puddings, rice, hominy hot from 12 M, to 7 P M.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES,

Made from flour manufactured in this city, from fresh California Buckwheat. Hot English Muffins at all hours.

The Pastry at the R R Bakery is universally admitted to far surpass any in the city, constituting every variety of fresh Fruit, Pies, etc.

When you visit our city give us a call—you will be well pleased.
HALEY & THOMPSON.
j19tf Proprietors.

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS
AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE
United States.

P. A. BRINSMADE,

HAS removed his office to Sherman's building, No. 146 Montgomery street, San Francisco, where he will continue the prosecution of Claims against the Federal Government, embracing

Claims of the officers and soldiers of Colonel Stevenson's Regiment of New York Volunteers for bounty lands, extra pay and transportation allowances.

Claims of the officers and men who composed the California Battalion of Volunteers, under Lieutenant Colonel John C. Fremont, for bounty lands, arrears of pay, and extra pay.

Claims of the officers, petty officers, seamen and marines, on account of additional compensation for services in the Naval and Revenue service of the United States in the Pacific Ocean, on the coasts of California and Mexico, from 13th of May, 1846, to 1st of March, 1853, provided for by Acts of Congress, approved August 31st, 1852, and March 3d, 1853.

—ALSO—

Claims for indemnity on account of losses occasioned by Indian depredations upon the property of the citizens of the State.

And Claims for advances made to United States Indian Agents, to enable them to negotiate or to execute treaties with the Indian tribes.

MR. BRINSMADE has secured the most reliable and efficient aid in Washington, and claimants may feel sure of the most prompt attention possible.

N. B. He will also give his best attention to Conveyancing in all its branches. feb3-tf

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Wonderful Changes
GOING ON
Throughout the World!!!

BUT none has taken place within the last month, of half the importance to the people of California, as the one among Restaurant and Hotel Keepers upon the announcement that

M. L. WINN HAD FAILED.

The second or third day after he had left the

"Fountain Head"

THE PRICE OF BOARD WAS ADVANCED
About one-half by all the Restaurants in Town,
and even those holding a little brief authority at the "Fountain Head," followed in the footsteps of their illustrious predecessors in the attempt to FORCE the people to pay DOUBLE the former price for Board—and that, too when paovisions cost mere nothing.

WILL THE PEOPLE SUBMIT TO SUCH IMPOSITION? If not, then

RALLY TO THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD,"

Where will be found a Bill of Fare nearly as low as in any of the Eastern Cities.

Since our return to our old position, placards may be seen upon nearly every restaurant in the city, "Potatoes and bread served with all dishes of meats free of charge." What a wonderful change! Four weeks ago it was declared to be a losing game to furnish these things without pay, and the people had to pay for them because WINN was out of the way, and the restaurant keepers could do as they pleased—but mark the difference, WINN IS AGAIN AT THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD," and down comes the prices, and the people are called upon to patronize these very philanthropic gentlemen for the only reason that they furnish board at a fair rate, whenthey are compelled to do so by the proprietor of

"WINN'S FOUNTAIN HEAD."

With these things in view we call upon the people to come to the "Fountain Head" *en masse* and live well and cheap while they can, for when we retire again from business, board will cost double in San Francisco what it does to-day.
ap14-tf M. L. WINN.

PICKETT & MOUNT,
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
Front street, between Sacramento and Long Wharf,
feb3-tf San Francisco.

JAMES PATRICK & CO.,
IMPORTERS,
Battery street, near Pacific, San Francisco
feb3-tf

NEW YORK BRANCH!
NEW GOODS AND NEW STYLES!
Corner Clay and Kearny sts., San Francisco.

WE take pleasure to announce to our friends and the public of San Francisco generally, that we have opened a large and fashionable assortment of
BOOTS AND SHOES,
at the above place, among which is to be found Ladies', Gentlemen's and a full assortment of all kinds of Childen's Ware, from all the celebrated Manufactories of the East.

We most respectfully invite those about purchasing to call and examine our stock before purchasing.
feb10-tf HOLCOMBE & DOLE.

SOMETHING NEW
AT THE
Cochituate Baths!
57 *Sansome street, between California and Pine, San Francisco.*

THE ROYAL TURKISH LINEN BATHING TOWELS,
Just received,
NOW IN USE AT THE COCHITUATE BATHS!
The only house in the State where this healthy and agreeable luxury can be enjoyed.

THIS is the best article ever invented for bathing purposes, and received a premium at the World's Fair. Their superiority over every description of Towel, consists in their great sharpness, combined with flexibility and absorption, and are highly approved and recommended by the faculty as the most beneficial and invigorating article now in use.

Single Baths only..........$0.75
Or ten tickets for..........5.00
Separate appartments for ladies.
MASON & McCOMBE,
feb3-tf Proprietors.

NOTICE TO THE MILLION!!!
GEO. H. JOHNSON'S
First Premium Pioneer Daguerrean Gallery, San Francisco,

THE frequent liability under which the public now rest, of being deceived while in search of the ORIGINAL JOHNSON'S GALLERY, so favorably and extensively known as being the FIRST PREMIUM GALLERY on the Pacific, as well as for the SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES, both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a
WARNING AGAINST IMPOSITION!
His establishment is at the Corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, directly opposite Wells' building. Remember it is the
CORNER BUILDING, OVER THE DRUG STORE.
Be careful to observe the name of G. H. Johnson, he having no connection with the Johnson, next door to his establishment.

STEROSCOPIC PICTURES,
the greatest wonder of the age, taken with all the latest improvements in the art; being enabled by new and extensive additions to apparatus, to surpass any other artist in this city.

SINGLE, OR FAMILY GROUP PICTURES,
taken in the first style of the art, and put up in any variety of case, or in lockets, breast pins, rings, bracelets, watches, canes, pencils, caskets, christalocopes, or any other known style.

NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,
if they do not give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.
Perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed.
feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

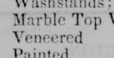
STORY, REDINGTON & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Drugs and Medicines,
Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc., San Francisco, Cal.
AGENTS for Osgood's India Colagogue, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Dr. Conine's Ginseng and Malva, Græfenberg Co's Medicines, Corbett's Shakers' Sarsaparilla, Dr. Hunt's Life Elixer and Hyatt's Balsam;

HAVE removed to their new store, on the North East corner of Sansome and Merchant streets. No 128 Sansome street, and No 1 Sansome Block, immediately opposite their old stand. j19-tf

SALVATOR ROSA,

IMPORTER, and dealer in all description of MUSICAL INSTUMENTS; Sheet Music, etc, No. 180 Clay street, between Kearney and Montgomery, San Francisco.t j19

GOODMAN BROS.,
Wholesale Grocers and General Commission Merchants.
j19 50 Front street, San Francisco.



FURNITURE,
At SEYMOUR & CO.'S, No.
190 Washington street, San Francisco.
Sofas, Sofa Beds;
Bedsteads;
French Mahogany Bedsteads;
Gothic do do;
Elizabethian Bedsteads;
Washstands;
Marble Top Washstands;
Veneered do;
Painted do double and single;
Standing and Sitting Desks;
Sets painted Chamber Furniture;
Chairs in great variety. j19-tf

MINER'S EXCHANGE
AND SAVINGS BANK,
AND
San Francisco Assay Office,
ARMORY HALL,
Corner Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco.
DR. A. S. WRIGHT, Agent.

ALL Moneys left at this Bank will bear an interest of one and a half per cent per month, redeemable at pleasure.

GOLD Dust left to be Assayed at this office, will be returned within twenty-four hours, and the very best price paid for it when offered for sale.

GOLD Dust received on Special Deposit Free of charge, and rich Quartz specimens purchased, or valued gratis, and every attention paid to the Assaying or testing of all kinds of Ores.

GOLD Dust received for Coinage, and Remittances Bills of Exchange drawn on the East, at sight or on time.

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A. T. M'CLURE

WOULD inform his friends and the public of Mariposa, that he is now located in his spacious Fire-Proof Building on Bush street, between Sansome and Montgomery, San Francisco, and has on hand one of the largest and best selected stocks of
DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, and FANCY ARTICLES,
that can be found in California. He will sell as low as the lowest, and his goods will invariably be found to be of the very best quality. Country dealers will do well to call and examine for themselves. j19-tf

REMOVAL.
Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 226 1-2 Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.

P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 735, Post Office, San Francisco.

N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

DR. J. C. YOUNG,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

READ AND REFLECT.
"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced,
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand.
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
Self preservation, fall by its own act?
Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of all ages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the FIRST writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.

How important, then, it is—for every one having the least cause to suspect any trouble in that way, should attend to it immediately; even one single occurrence should be sufficient to cause doubt, and much more so if the person had ever indulged in the soul-killing habit. The treatment pursued by the justly celebrated Dr. J. C. Young, in cases of seminal weakness, impotency, sterility, nervous debility, and paralysis, (the last is the most dangerous, and when it once occurs, is incurable,) is surpassed by any physician in the country. It is the same as that followed by him for years, under the guidance of the world-renowned *Record* of Paris, and *Acton* of London. Dr. Young's office is corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite Page, Bacon & Co., San Francisco, California, where he can be consulted upon that and all other private diseases, with the utmost confidence and secresy. Dr. Young will warrant a perfect and permanent cure, or make no charge.

N. B.—Letters enclosing $10 will receive prompt attention. The doctor's time being so much taken up that he cannot attend to letters unless paid for it.

P. S.—Apartments privately arranged.

A CARD.

FROM Dr. J. C. Young's Private Medical Office.—TO THE AFFLICTED.—In this age of progress, when science is developing itself in such a manner as to appear almost miraculous, everything in common place is looked upon as not worth notice. In view of this fact, DR. YOUNG, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, California, has concluded to leave the beaten track hitherto pursued by most scientific physicians, (that of waiting for the public to find you out alone,) and publish to the world, as much as may be, his knowledge of the healing art, to let those who are in need of assistance know where they can find relief,, without fear of being imposed upon.

In continuation of this object, Dr. Young would say that for the past ten years he has pursued the practice of medicine in one of the largest cities of the United States, with the highest success, and that his standing as a physician is without reproach, having at one time been lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania on venerial diseases, &c.

Upon all these considerations, Dr. Young has confidence in introducing himself to the public, knowing that they will sustain well earned merit.

The following are a few of the many testimonials, which have appeared in the public journals the last few years:

[From the Boston Medical Journal.]
Although we are opposed to the system of advertising, for good and sufficient reasons, still we deem it bust justice to say that Dr. Young is one of the most industrious and indefatigable votaries of the medical science in the United States.

[From Professor Jackson.]
The subscriber is personally acquainted with Dr. Young, and has seen much of his practice, and can bear testimony to his merits as a practitioner.

[From the New York Herald.]
The eminence of this distinguished gentleman in his profession, and the very extended opportunities possessed by him for the observation of venereal disease, makes his services invaluable to those afflicted with the above complaints.

MEDICAL ADVICE.

DR. J. C. Young, who has become so celebrated for the thousands of cures which he has performed on old, chronic, mercurial, syphilitic, and all private diseases, without mercury, is consulted daily at his office, corner of Montgomery and California streets, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. A cure guaranteed or no pay.

Dr. J. C. Young has probably had more practice in venereal diseases than any other physician in California. He cures all the most aggravated cases of this disease, and mild ones he removes in from two to five days. The doctor has for many years, been known as the most eminent and successful physician in the United States, and what is more important to the patient, he always effects a speedy and permanent cure.

Travelers, seamen, miners and others, who wish to be cured without mercury, hindrance from business, or exposure to friends, should apply to him as soon as possible, and a perfect cure will be guaranteed in all curable cases. Recollect the name and number, Dr. J. C. Young, corner of Montgomery and California streets.
Office open from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY,

OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. Young addresses tho e who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: weakness of the back and limbs, in pain the head, dimness of sight, loss of muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.

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WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS
immediately cured and full vigor restored.
DR. J. C. YOUNG,
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For sale as above, the celebrated French Lunar Pills, these pills are now acknowledged by the medical fraternity to be the only safe, mild and efficacious remedy to be depended upon in long standing cases of suppression, irregularity, or stopping of the functions of nature, the neglect of which is the source of such deplorable effects on the female frame.

N. B.—These pills are highly celebrated as a preventive.
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HUNDREDS of those who have contracted disease are disappointed of a cure by not calling on DR. YOUNG at first. He will forfeit any sum if he fails to cure any case that may come under his care, no matter how long standing and afflicting, such as ulcers, tumors, nodes, bunches, pimples on the face and body, pains in the bones and joints, wakefulness, trembling, copper-colored sores, wasting of the bones, emaciation, loss of appetite, strength and flesh, sores in the nose and ears, loss of hair, weak eyes, itching humors, &c., &c. Many persons, after being relieved of all external appearances of private disease, suppose themselves cured, but after a few months find they are troubled with various symptoms which they never had before, and which they find it impossible to relieve.

To all who are afflicted in this way, Dr. Young would particularly recommend a trial of his skill. The symptoms with which you are troubled are caused by taints in the blood, which sooner or later will destroy your health and happiness. No person who has ever had an attack of any private complaint should fail to consult Dr. Young, and take a few bottles of his invaluable purifying medicine, as they can rest assured that their blood is in a perfectly pure and healthy condition, and that every trace of disease is removed from the system.

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